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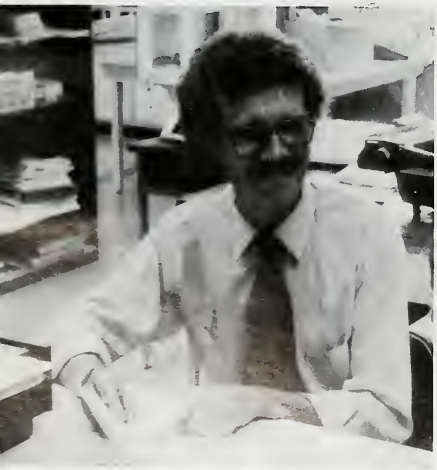
At the Homecoming dance, Sophomores Randy Stinson, Michelle Darras, and Vance Renninger relax after dancing.

Setting the ball, Junior Ro Ottenweller warms up at volleyball practice.



Checking the attendance of the yearbook staff, Mr. Rinehart prepares to begin class.

After school, chauffeur Senior Bob Prescott and escort Junior Carlo Renninger prepare to take a group of friends to their homes.

Because her group was behind in the magazines sales, Junior Andi Wills dressed up as a duck to promote team spirit.

At the freshmen mixer, Freshmen Brent Case and Rob Myer do a break-dance routine.

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Anxieties pressure new students

As the first day of school drew near, students anticipated a year of joys and anxieties. New students and freshmen wondered about the pressure of being a "rookie". All the while, seniors were ready to begin their final year at Heritage.

The beginning of school was changed from a half day to a full day. The schedule was also changed as students experienced their first year without an activity period. An organized study period was added in its place. School days and class size were lengthened. Seated in home room after the eight o'clock bell, 756 students received their schedules and locker combinations. With some regret but much happiness, the first day of school finally began.

Opening Sees Changes

As students entered the building on the first day of school, August 29, they saw many changes.

First, students saw a new distinction to the building. A reconstructed cafetorium brought a happy change of pace to the daily lunch period. A wheelchair ramp was added to the cafetorium entrance.

We each showed our enthusiasm as Mr. Drews was assigned the position of principal. Mr. Lake took over the job of assistant principal.

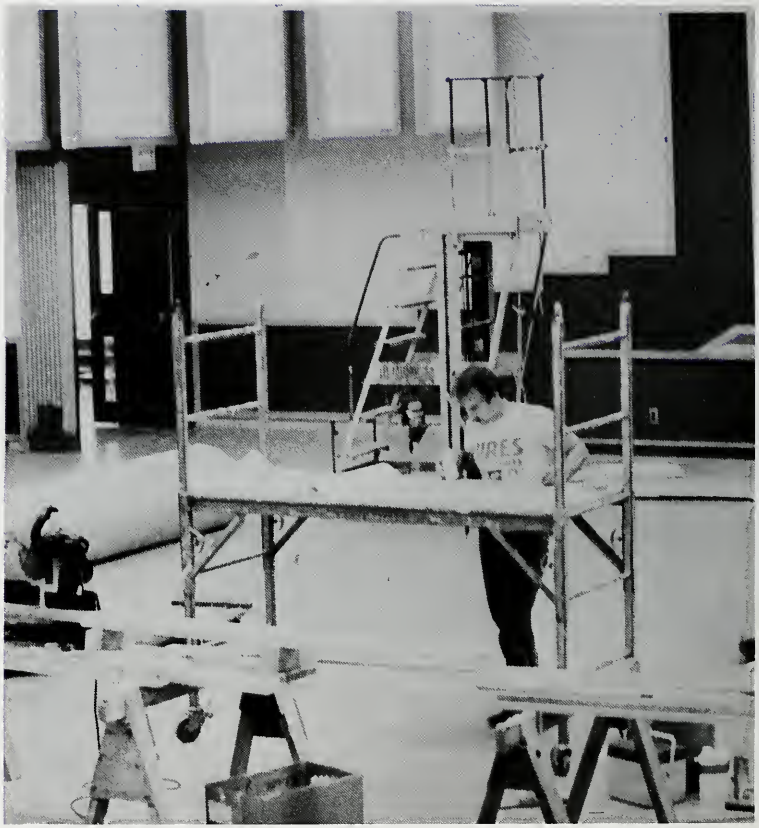
Many students also faced inner differences as well. Freshmen has to deal with the anxieties of entering high school. As this was happening, the Seniors were beginning to realize that they had many decisions to make before graduation.

Each of these changes helped us to further ourselves and began to lead us on our search for . . .

A Rainbow of Dreams

Because improvement is being made, a construction worker helps put a new floor in the cafetorium.

On a warm and sunny day, Junior Jerry Bultimeier waits in line for a drink at football practice.



During football practice, a group of team members try to perfect a play.

At summer band camp, Freshmen Kurt Radamacher and Joel Hoffman prepare to learn a marching routine.

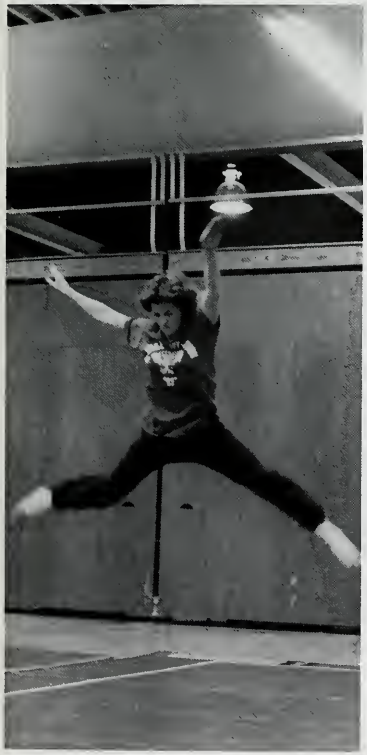
Despite the rainy weather, Senior Shannon Fitzgerald, Sophomore Dawn Bradtmueller, and Junior Andi Wills cheer at a football game against Adams Central.

After a wrestling match, Junior Mike Branning is proclaimed the winner by the referee.

Watching carefully, Senior Terri Lydy prepares to hit the ball during a volleyball match.

Because he is on the basketball team, Junior Chad Linder ties his shoes before practice starts.

Preparing for a gymnastics meet, Sophomore Shelley Ertel does part of her floor routine.



Sports add Dreams

For many students, the ultimate high school dream centered around a sporting event. Whether this dream was a personal goal or a team achievement, sporting activities were a way for the athlete to express himself. Being in a team sport gave a person a chance to gain pride for his school as well as within himself.

As the seasons progressed, each athlete tried to better himself in his respective sport. Self-dicipline, as well as very hard work, was needed for this improvement, but it all paid off. This was shown when the athlete caught the winning pass, made a basket at the buzzer, or achieved one of his inner goals. However, as these goals were being conquered, the athlete was constantly building new hurdles to cross as his dreams grew and progressed into reality.

Being a member of a team sport may have been a way to express high school dreams, but it also added to the athlete's future. It helped to build character as well as to bring vivid color to our "rainbow of dreams."

Reserve-Lori Arnett, Christina Kaplanis, Karen Knapke, Cindy Castleman, Dawn Bradtmueller, Tina Fuhrmann.

Cheering at the coliseum, Sophomores Cindy Castleman and Lori Arnett create enthusiasm,

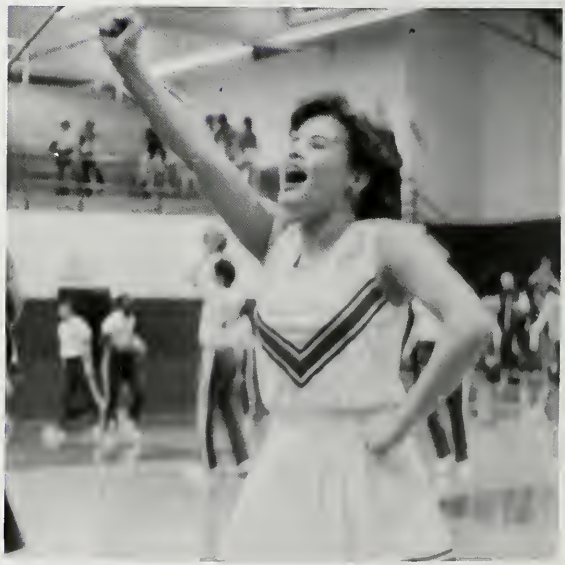
Cheering Challenges

Over Summer vacation the Heritage Reserve, and Varsity Cheerleaders attended a camp at Wittenburg University.

During the four days of competitions the Reserve and Varisty squads received outstanding awards each day for their preformances. Also a spirit award was given for their enthusiasm. Varsity was also nominated as one of the top ten squads of the camp.

Junior Holly Rice, a member of the Varsity Squad, was elected as "1984 All American Finalist" out of the 300 cheerleaders who attended camp.

Throughout the year the cheerleaders worked hard to create enthusiasm and spirit for all teams.



As she performs a pregame routine, Senior Michelle Linder builds spirit in the crowd.

Varsity - Shannon Fitzgerald, Becky May, Holly Rice, Andi Wills, Top - Michelle Linder, Holly Stults.

At a sectional game, Senior Holly Stults cheers for the coliseum crowd.

Freshmen - Amy Kalthoff, Jessie Griffith, Amy Biddle, Heidi Richman, Angie Waggoner.

To welcome the basketball team onto the floor, Senior Shannon Fitzgerald sings out a cheer.

Boys Freshman Basketball. Front Row: Phil Graf, Mark Stahl, Jim Girardot, Matt Gerardot, Steve Foster, Gary Fry. Middle Row: Coach Bob Watson, Paul Hoffman, Chris Pierce, Ron Purk, Rob Myer, Ed Poor. Back Row: Kerry Roussey, Mike Gepfert, Joel Hoffman, Davon Bultmeier, Steve Hetler, Jim Davies, Jeff Feasby.

Reserve players look for the ball after the jump.

After picking up the ball, Sophomore Roger Brown looks for the open man.

During practice, Freshman Steve Hetler skies to the basket.

Reserve Finish Well

RESERVE BASKETBALL
Season Record 11-9

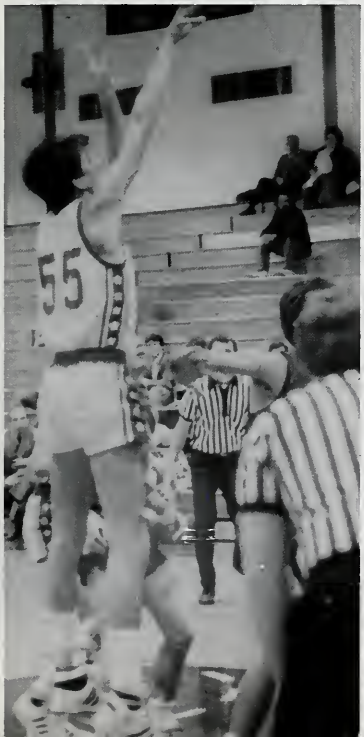
HER		OPP
27	Homestead	25
41	Busco	24
45	Northfield	43
39	S. Wells	58
32	S. Adams	35
44	Norwell	37
55	New Haven	54
40	Luers	38
38	Harding	50
40	Carroll	49
49	Leo	42
52	Woodlan	47
25	Leo	26
47	Bellmont	51
29	Carroll	44
40	Ft. Wayne	37
48	Adams Central	46
32	Wayne	43
36	Bluffton	30
51	Concordia	53

FRESHMAN BASKETBALL
Season Record: 4-10

HER		OPP
25	Norwell	60
32	Woodlan	49
53	Leo	39
35	New Haven	45
35	Homestead	48
44	Adams Central	42
36	Bellmont	39
27	Harding	52
27	Luers	36
38	Woodlan	46
50	Leo	40
43	S. Wells	40
30	Carroll	52
45	Elmhurst	58

The Boy's Reserve Basketball Team had a better than average season this year. "We had a streak year. If we won a game, we won two or three in a row. When we lost though, it was also two or three," Sophomore Dan Beauchot quoted. The team won the first three games, but then lost two, then came back to win three more. Players were shifted around from varsity to reserve and vice-versa throughout the year and it was sometimes hard for them to work as a team. "When we worked as a team, we won," Sophomore Roger Brown commented on the problem. Our goal was to finish above five hundred." There were three overtime games, one against Norwell, then against New Haven, and ended the season against Concordia. By outscoring opponents 28-22 in overtimes, they won the first two, but lost the last one. The team was very down going into the Fort Wayne Christian game because it had lost three straight and was facing a five hundred record. With only five games left they had to win three. They beat Christian then A.C. only to lose to Wayne. Then they came back to defeat Bluffton and reach their goal.

Although the freshman Boy's Basketball Team had a 4-10 overall record, they were 3-3 in the conference. They defeated Leo easily 53-39, then Adams Central in a close match 44-42, and in another close game they defeated Southern Wells 43-40. "Although our record did not show it, we usually were in the game going into the fourth quarter but then blew it," Freshman Ed Poor commented. "Our record was not outstanding, but I feel that I learned very much."



After driving to the bucket, Sophomore Dave Kolter takes a shot.

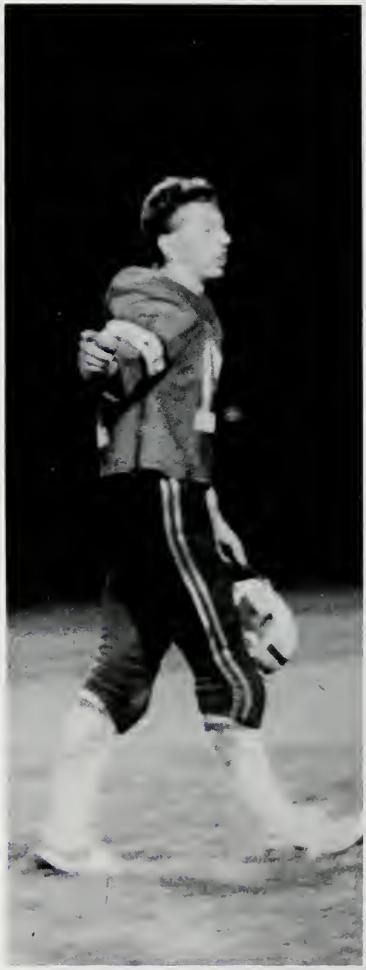
Boy's Reserve Basketball. Front Row: Mike Lortie, Larry Hoffman, Curt Wills, Mike Tschannen, David Runkel. Back Row: Troy Hockemeyer, Roger Brown, Rick Stults, Dave Kolter, Dan Beauchot, Scott Saalfrank.

Reserve Football, Front row: Shenan Hoffacker, Dave Stensland, Kari Kever - manager, Cindy Johnson - manager, Colleen Galligher - manager, Mike Pyle, Bill McKee, Second row: Keith Wagoner, Pat Metsker, Joe Dunaway, Rich Brinkman, Keven Stephey, Pete Thompson, Mike Branning, Craig Lahrman, Mike Tschannen, Allen Vardaman, Third row: Rick Stults, Shelby Meyer, Troy Hockemeyer, Scott Ripley, Trent Kleine, Dan Beachot, Rick Howe, Coach Mike Hany, Coach Tim Replogle.

Reserve & Frosh End Strong

The freshman football team also began the season with a slump, losing the first four games. However, like the reserve, they also knew they could win. When Southern Wells forfeited, it gave the team a piece of the winning spirit. This feeling carried over to the Leo game, where the team easily defeated the Lions, 14-6. "We executed our plays well, and our defense really worked together." freshman Steve Hetler said. Then another loss came to a fine Woodlan team, but the Heritage pride was never lost. "We started off slow, but by winning two of the last three games, I was satisfied with the season." freshman Travis Miller commented.

The reserve football team boasted the best season record in many years. Starting off with three straight losses, everyone thought it was the making of another bad season. Commenting on the slump, Head Coach Tim Replogle said, "We could have won all three games. The breaks just weren't falling our way." Sophomore Craig Lahrman added, "We knew we were a good team. It was just a matter of getting things straight." As the team entered its fourth game, you could tell something new was in them, something that wasn't there before. The winning streak started with that game, Woodlan, then adding Leo, Adams Central, and in the final game, shutting out Norwell 14-0. Ending with a 4-3 record, this was the first reserve winning season since 1979.



After a reserve football game, junior Pat Metsker heads for the locker room.

In a freshman football game quarterback Gary Fry attempts to pitch the football off to back Mark Stahl.

RESERVE FOOTBALL
Season Record: 4-3

Her		Opp
7	Concordia	26
6	Carroll	16
15	Churubusco	20
14	Woodlan	13
34	Leo	12
19	Adams Central	8
14	Norwell	0

FRESHMAN FOOTBALL
Season Record: 2-5

Her		Opp
0	Adams Central	26
0	Norwell	26
7	Carroll	26
12	Harding	14
W	Southern Wells	F
14	Leo	6
6	Woodlan	28

While in the backfield, freshman quarterback Gary Fry hands off the ball to back Mark Stahl who looks for the hole.

As a tackle is made in a reserve football game, junior Rick Howe follows behind.

Freshman Football, Front row: David Young, Tyrone Hockemeyer, Matt Gerardot, Gary Fry, Mark Stahl, Troy Christman, Mike McCallum, David Ray, Matt Furniss, Back row: Coach John Bedwell, Travis Miller, Ron Purk, Jim Davies, Steve Hetler, Brad Hoffman, Larry Mott, Chris Pierce, Chris Heimann, Mike Wilson, Coach Dennis Ligget

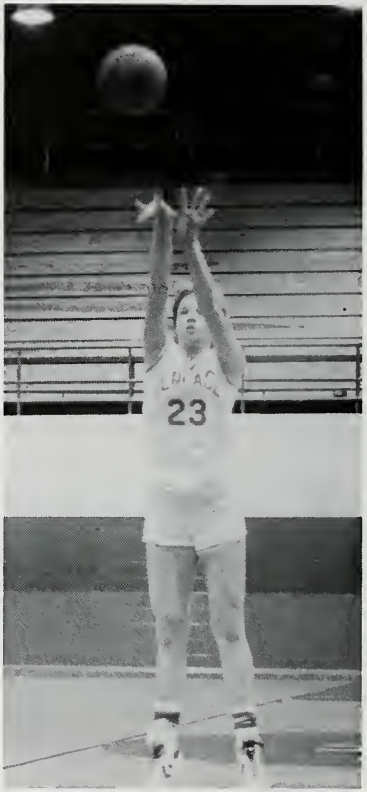
RESERVE BASKETBALL
Season Record: 17-1

HER		OPP
28	Adams Central	14
26	South Side	34
4	Bishop Luers	33
36	Elmhurst	27
40	Leo	16
35	Homestead	16
26	Northside	20
33	Wayne	23
23	Harding	16
45	Woodlan	25
38	Woodlan	29
29	Carroll	19
36	Concordia	12
38	Norwell	29
36	Carroll	24
33	Southern Wells	17
37	Busco	16
44	Dwenger	32

FRESHMEN BASKETBALL
Season Record: 5-4

HER		OPP
24	South Side	20
27	Bishop Luers	10
26	Elmhurst	5
16	New Haven	25
25	Snider	43
19	Bishop Dwenger	34
14	North Side	13
29	Norwell	32
26	Woodlan	15

Jumping high, Freshmen Tammy Lydy shoots a free throw basket.



Reserve Basketball - Denise Scheumann, Allison Rushart, Julie Davison, Tamera Lydy, Ginny Pierce, Amy Weber, Kathy Perkins, Tricia Fuhrmann, Amy Meyer, Team Managers Peggy Hockmemeyer, Jeanette LaVine, Janette Kiracofe.

Record Set

The Girls Reserve Basketball Team had a very good season this year. Their season record was 17-1. The girls had the best season record. They also won the reserve ACAC Tournament this year.

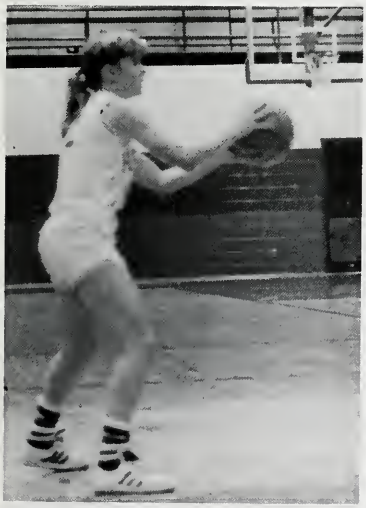
On December 20th the Freshmen Basketball Team ended their season with a 5-4 record.

Coach Paula Pitcher stated "This is my first year for coaching the freshmen team. I really enjoyed working with the team."

Attempting a foul shot, Sophomore Joy Scheumann concentrates.

Dribbling the ball, Sophomore Joy Scheumann, slides by her opponents.

During practice, Junior Ro Ottenweller blocks Sophomore Joy Scheumann from making a basket.



Holding the ball, Freshmen Amy Meyer gets ready to pass the ball.

Freshmen Basketball. First Row: Amy Dager, Bev Koenemann, Wendy Collett, Tricia Fuhrmann, Linette Lomont, Karen Stensland. Back Row: Shannon Deitschel, Amy Shellenbarger, Lois Bradtmueller, Julie DeKoninck, Traci Saalfrank, Jill Grotrian, Cathy Cardwell, and Coach Paula Pitcher.

At an ACAC Wrestling meet a member on the team tries to get his opponent down.

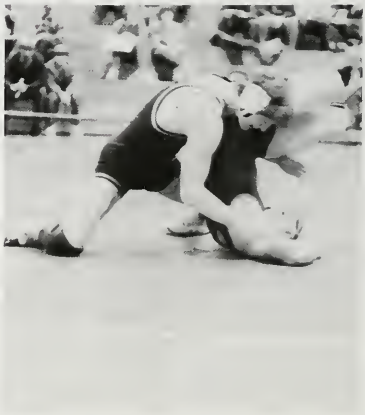
Showing his emotion, Coach Tim Repogal "psychs" up the team.

Improvements

The 1984-85 Wrestling Team had a season record of 5-12. Through the seasons many changes had been made. Junior Pat Metsker comments, "For the past three years the Wrestling Team progressed extensively.

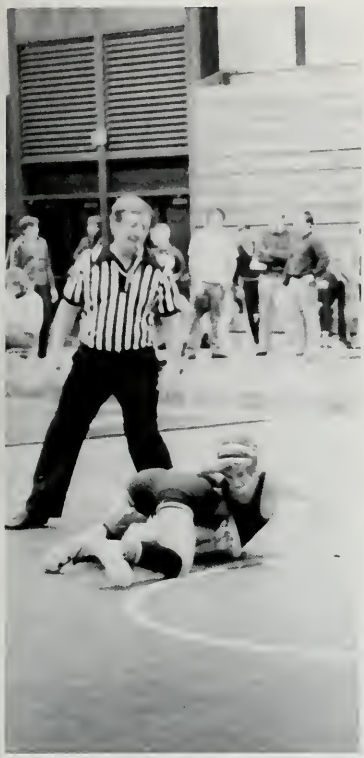
Kurt Overmeyer was named MVP this year. Chris VanLear received an award for most pins. The Mental Attitude Award went to Fred Bearman. The most improved person was Monty Guenin. Named United Patriot was Kenny Johnson.

Chris VanLear was the only person that went on to Sectional this year. ACAC there were three fourth place finishers. There were Tyrone Hockemeyer, Kurt Overmeyer and Monty Guenin.



During a wrestling meet, a player attempts to pin his opponent.

Showing his style a member of the team gets his opponent down.



Concentrating on his physical strength Tyrone Hockemeyer pins his opponent.

Boy's Wrestling
Season Record: 5-12

HER		OPP
21	Concordia	53
63	Luers	12
30	Garrett	45
21	Bluffton	45
11	Carroll	58
24	Southside	51
41	South Adams	33
42	Luers	36
14	Bluffton	54
21	Norwell	48
13	Leo	56
35	Mississaua Valley	31
60	Spencerville	12
29	Lincolnview	42
2	Woodlan	67
3	A. Central	63
24	Churubusco	45

Wrestling. Front Row: Kelly Galligher, Jackie Long, Shari Holle, Theresa Nichter, Kelly Buckmaster, Laura Oehler, Karen Sorg. Second Row: Donita Muldoon, Karen Clayton, Mike Mitchell, Mike Pyle, Kurt Overmeyer, Monty Guenin, Tony Bowers, Tyrone Hockemeyer, Mike McDougall, Jana Scheele, Tami Shelburne. Third Row: Karla Wyss, Chris Ross, Eric Bowen, Vance Renninger, David Stensland, Mike Branning, Jeff Oehler, Pat Metsker, Chris Van Lear, Rick Howe, Jana Webb, Barbie Ulhman. Fourth Row: Chris Baldwin, Lindy Nott, Coach Gene Hany, Pat Franklin, Kenny Johnson, David Ray, Fred Bearman, Doug Hedges, Steve Walker, Mike Schindler, Joe Dunaway, Assistant Coach Mike Schuler, Coach Tim Replogle, Nancy Hart, and JoLyn Solt.

In a varsity football game, Junior Jerry Bultemeier, cuts inside to confuse an opponent.

Going for an extra point, Junior Tony Knapke kicks the ball, while Junior Lane Hockemeyer holds the ball.

Record Season

This year's football team had the first winning season since 1979. The season record was 6 and 4. Many players received awards for their good work. Luddy Meyer received the Mental Attitude Award. Don Roop received the MVP award and all conference along with Joe Beerbower and Tony Knapke. Knapke also received the Sportsmanship award. Along with All-Conference, Joe Beerbower received the Battered Helmet award, and Keven Linker received 110% plaque. Randy Miller received the Defender award, while Darryl Sheffer received the Pepsi-Specialist award.

Many records were set during the season. Don Roop set a record with 6.0 yards per carry in a career and Monte Chrisman tied a record with a Safety. Darryl Sheffer threw the most TD passes in a season with a total of 6 and Sheffer also had the best completion percentage in a game with 86%. Jeff Dickmander broke many records including most yards received in a season with a total of 347 and with 596 yards gained in a career. Dickmander also caught the most TD passes in a season with a total of 4 and he had a total of 7 in his career. Tony Knapke set many new records this season. Knapke scored the most points in a season with a total of 90 and he also had the most solo tackles in a season with a total of 27. Knapke also had the most PATS in a season with 24 and 28 in his career. Randy Miller had the cost tackle points with a total of 169 points. Over all the football team had a good season.

Going for a touch-down, Junior Jeff Dickmander catches the ball.

During a football game against South Adams, Senior Ron Helmsing tackles his opponent.

Varsity Football
Season Record: 6-4

Her		Opp
7	Harding	12
14	Woodlan	7
21	Luers	43
14	Adams Central	17
42	Southern Wells	5
14	Norwell	10
42	South Adams	6
19	Concordia	14
7	Leo	20
28	Carroll	6

Varsity Football. First Row: Roger Hormann, Luddy Meyer, Jaime Renninger, Jim Lee, Matt Chrisman, Gregg Spieth, Mark Kramer, Don Roop, Kenny Johnson, Ron Helmsing, Darryl Sheffer, Keven Linker, Joe Beerbower. Second Row: Coach Dennis Liggett, Pat Metsker, Tony Knepke, Jeff Dickmander, Chris Evans, Lane Hockemeyer, Monte Chrisman, Chris Van Lear, Randy Miller, Troy Frasure, Jerry Bultemeier, Scott Ripley, Keith Wagoner, Coach Mike Hany. Third Row: Coach George Wehrmeister, Coach Tim Replogle, David Stensland, Chris Heimann, Dan Beauchot, Troy Hockemeyer, Bill McKee, Mike Techannen, Craig Lahrman, Carlo Renninger, Mike Branning, Trent Kleine, Kevin Stephey, Gary Fry, Troy Christman, Coach John Bedwell, Coach Bob Yager. Back Row: Rick Howe, Pete Thompson, Mike McCallum, Chris Pierce, Pat Franklin, Jim Painter, Allen Vardaman, Mike Pyle, Shelby Meyer, Rich Brinkman, Rick Stults, Joe Dunaway, Shenan Hoffacker, Tom Muldoon.

During a game, Junior Randy Miller gets advice from his assistant coach, Mike Hany.

Varsity Volleyball: Front Row: Kathy Rorick, Jana Kiess, Roselyn Ottenweller, Jane Girardot, Myra Mailand, Vicki Beerman. Back Row: Mr. John Arnold, Karla Fry, Laura O'Shaughnessey, Terri Lydy, Linda Fuhrmann, Julie Grotrian, (Managers) Michelle Collett, Jean Maldeney.

Reserve Volleyball: Front Row: Jill Grotrian, Kelly Buckmaster, Soni Bearman, Karen Ottenweller, Amy Weber. Back Row: Mrs. Ruth Wyss, Joy Scheumann, Tami Bienz, Tammy Lydy, Denise Scheumann, Janice Grodrian, Heather Hoffman.

Girls Cross Country: Front Row: Sara Harkenrider, Jeanette LaVine, Pam Allison, Jo Lyn Solt, Jana Scheele, Back Row: Mr. Jeff Johnson, Ginny Pierce, Michelle Lomont, Aleese Dickmander, Allison Rushart, Dawn Sorg.

Girls Varsity Volleyball 14-8

Her		Opp
L	Bellmont	
W	Bishop Luers	
L	Snider	
W	Concordia	
L	Bishop Dwinger	
W	Carrol	
W	Adam Central	
W	Elmhurst	
W	Churubusco	
W	Woodlan	
L	Harding	
W	Southern Wells	
W	Southern Wells	
W	Leo	
L	Weyne	
W	New Haven	
L	Norwell	
W	South Adams	
W	Hamestead	
L	Norwell	
W	Sectional	
L	Harding	

Girls Reserve Volleyball 12-3

Her		Opp
L	Bellmont	
W	Bishop Luers	
L	Snider	
W	Concordia	
W	Bishop Dwenger	
W	Woodlan	
W	Elmhurst	
W	Harding	
L	Weyne	
W	New Heven	
W	Adam Central	
W	Woodlan	
W	Norwell	
W	South Adams	
W	Homestead	

Helping her team, Jane Girardot serves the ball.

Reserves Win ACAC

Girls Cross Country
Season Record 4-3

Her		Opp
21	New Haven	38
26	Bellmont	32
37	Adams Central	40
50	Norwell	15
26	Leo	30
45	Woodlan	15
20	Churubusco	42

Boys Cross Country
Season Record 8-1

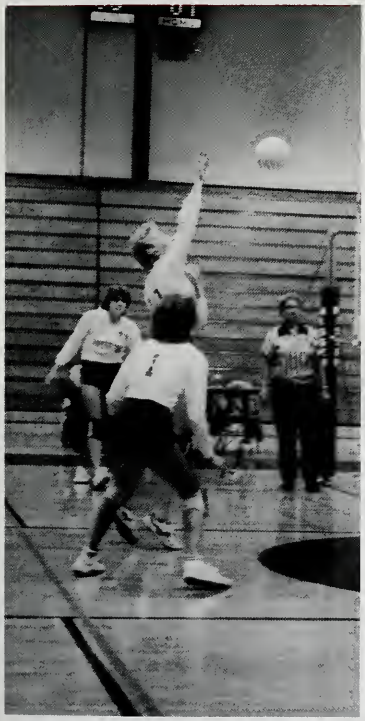
Her		Opp
27	New Haven	29
25	Bellmont	31
15	Bishop Luers	50
19	Adams Central	40
35	Norwell	23
16	Churubusco	47
15	Woodlan	50
16	Southern Wells	46
19	Leo	42

This year's Cross Country and Volleyball teams had one of their best season. The girls Varsity Volleyball team went to sectionals where they won their first game. They went on to play their second game against Harding, but they were defeated. The reserve also had a great season with a record of 12-3. The reserve won their reserve ACAC tournament.

The Cross Country teams also had a very rewarding season. Senior Steve Waggoner, captain and leader of the boy's Cross Country team, placed third in the Heritage Top 5000 Meter Times. The girls placed 13th in their sectional. Junior Pam Allison was named this year's top female runner at Heritage. The practices were somewhat hard, but if there is "No Pain" there is "No Gain".

Mrs. Wyss commented, "This has been the best season for the reserve volleyball team."

"We had a great year and a great coach." Commented Pam Allison.



While trying to spike the ball, Senior Terri Lydy attempts to score more points.

Boys Cross Country: Front Row: Doug Hedges, Tony Bowers, Kurt Overmeyer, Paul Hoffman, Monty Guenin. Second Row: Joel Wise, Larry Hoffman, Dave Runkel, Mark Benzinger. Third Row: David Kiess, Steve Waggoner, Roger Brown, Scott Ruhl, Mr. Don Sarrazine.

Juniors Scott Ruhl and Mark Benzinger strive to gain a lead over their opponent during a cross country meet.

As Senior Karla Fry holds back their opponent, Senior Terri Lydy shoots for two.

Trying to score two, Junior Ro Ottenweller looks for an opponent to assist her.

Varsity Girls Basketball
Season Record: 21-2

Her		Opp
65	Adams Central	22
73	South Side	44
60	Bishop Luers	30
35	Elmhurst	34
43	Leo	28
61	Homestead	44
49	North Side	34
45	Wayne	33
55	Harding	35
53	Woodlan	51
70	Concordia	26
47	Norwell	36
47	Carroll	38
58	Southern Wells	29
57	Leo	26
60	Carroll	33
44	Woodlan	35
59	Churubusco	24
41	Bishop Dwenger	47
58	Wayne	35
41	New Haven	31
53	Woodlan	50
36	Bishop Dwenger	44

Girls Varsity Basketball. Front Row: Manager Peggy Hockemeyer, Loriann Franz, Myra Mailand, Jane Girardot, Vicki Beerman, Joy Scheumann, and manager Jeanette LaVine. Back Row: Coaches Cheri Gilbert, Dave Gilbert, Ro Ottenweller, Aleese Dickmander, Terri Lydy, Linda Fuhrmann, Karla Fry, Julie Grotrian, and manager Janette Kiracofe.

After winning A.C.A.C. Senior Linda Fuhrmann cuts the net.

Signaling the others Senior Julie Grotrian brings the ball to their end of the court.

Passing the ball Junior Vicki Beerman keeps an eye open.

Jumping high Senior Karla Fry makes a basket.

Girls Victorious In A.C.A.C.

The Girls Varsity Basketball team had a very good season again this year. They ended their season with a 21-2 record. The Patriots held an undefeated record until the last game of the regular season, losing to Dwenger, 41-47.

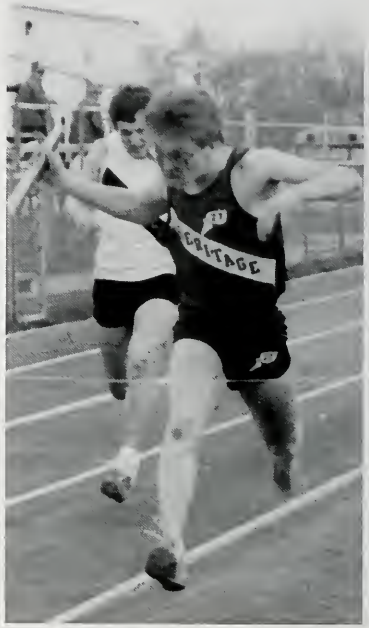
The girls won the A.C.A.C. Tournament for the fourth straight time. In the A.C.A.C. final, the team beat Woodlan for the second time with a score of 44-35. Terri Lydy received Most Valuable Player in the tournament.

After defeating Wayne in the first game of sectionals, the girls conquered New Haven 41-31 in the final game. In regionals the Patriots went against Woodlan for the third time, winning 53-50. In the final game the girls lost against Dwenger.

Terri Lydy, Karla Fry, and Julie Grotrian made the All Conference team. Linda Fuhrmann received Honorable mention. Over all, the girls had an excellent season.

Running for the finish line Sophomore Mark Gerardot strides for the line.

Girls Track First Row: Jill Grotrian, Allison Rushart, Any Meyer, Susan Johnson, Shanna Whiteside, Shannon Deitschel, Traci Saalfrank, Karen Ottenweller, Stace Emenhiser, Tricia Fuhrmann, Janeece Ternet, Thersa Gerardot. Second Row: Tammy Lydy, Heather Hoffman, Sara Harkenrider, Jana Scheele, Vicki Beerman, Holly Rice, Michelle Lomont, Genny Pierce, Jeanette LaVine, Joy Scheumann, Michelle Darras, Michelle Collett. Third Row: Denise Scheumann, Dawn Wilson, Sara Ottemweller, Susan Berry, Kristin Farnsworth, Gwen Simerman, Tammy Bienz, Tonya Lommatzsch, Wendy Collett, Karen Stensland, Katana Galligher, Daun Lommatzsch, Anna Jansson, Down Sorg, Misty Bitner.



Boys Track Front Row: Joe Dunaway, Shelby Meyer, Craig Lahrman, Mark Gerardot, Mark Faller, Joel Wise, David Kiess. Second Row: Drad Hoffman, Vance Renninger, Chris Heimann, Tony Bowers, David Rumkel. Troy Christmann, Jeff Feasby, Mike McCallum. Third Row: Coach Bob Yager, Tim Evams, Steve Waggoner, Mark Benzinger, Jeff Dickmander, Pat Metsker, Jamie Renninger, Monte Chrisman, Jerry Griffiths, Scott Ripley, Roger Brown, Doug Shadt.

Striding for the finish line Sophomore Joe Dunaway finishes before his opponent.

Making History

Taking off blocks Sophomore Jeff Feasby tries to get ahead of his opponent.

The Girls and Boys Varsity Track Team had a good season. The girls season record was 6-4. The boys season record was 5-1. They also held the second best record in Heritage history.

The girls track team broke two school records. Freshman Denise Sheumann broke the 400 meter dash with 61.8 seconds and Misty Bitmer broke the shot put with 35'7½" feet. There was one record set by the boys track team, and it was by Pat Metsker. He tied the school record of most points in a meet by scoring 16.5 in a meet against Southern Wells and in a triangular meet against Woodlan and Busco.

There were many awards given out this year incluing Ginny Pierce, Holly Rice with Sprinter's Awards and United Patriot Award went to Tonya Lommatzch. Jamie Renninger and Steve Waggoner received Senior Awards.

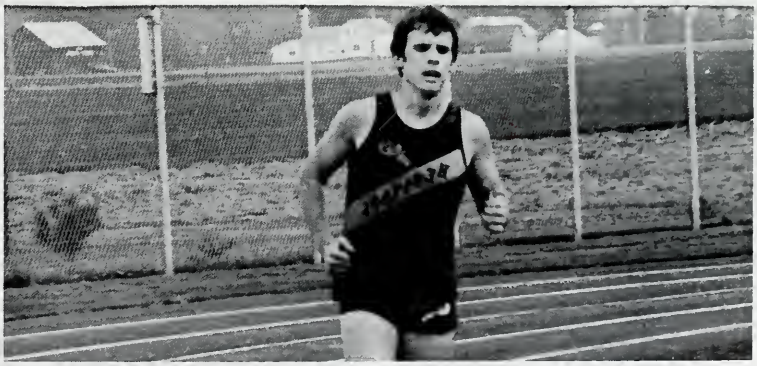
During Sectionals Sophomore Roger Brown won first place in the 32 hundred meter and went on to Regionals where he placed fifth and went to State where he placed 23.

GIRLS TRACK
Season Records: 6-4

HER	
54	Harding-55
84	Bellmont-25
71	Adams Central-38
83	Leo-26
61	New Haven-66 Luers-7
35	Woodland-63½ Busco-38½
58	Carroll-51
75	Southern Wells-34
2nd	South Adams Relays
3rd	Ottowa
3rd	East Nobel Relays
3rd	ACAC Conference

BOYS TRACK
Season Record: 5-1

HER	
32	Harding-95
98	Leo-29
2nd	Heritage Relays
72½	Woodlan-35½
72½	Churubusco-48
66	Carroll-60
4th	So. Adams Relays
96	Southern Wells-31
3rd	Conference
7th	District Meet



Trackette Front Row: Karla Wyss, Angie Scott, Tamara Shelburne, Colleen Coonrod, Karri Coonrod, Bev Koeneman, Julie Melcher, Becky Scheumann, Karen Sorg, Kris Coyne, JoLyn Solt, Thersa Nichter. Back Row: Rosie Smith, Christie Baldwin, Janelle Schultz, Michelle Schultz, Sara Ratliff, Tina Bradtmueller, Wendy Blowers, Debra Bazzinett, Sandy Bazzinett, Barbie Ulman, Jayne Strack, Ellen Lomont, Jana Springer.

Running around the track Junior David Kiess concentrates on his methods.

Players Improve

The Boys Varsity Basketball team had a difficult season with a record of 6-17. But since the beginning of the season there have been many improvements made.

Jeff Crates, the only senior on the team, was named assistant leader in free throw attempts. Junior Mike Wilson was named Most Valuable Player. Mike leads field goal shooting with 49%. Mike was the leader in shooting and received All Conference. Junior Jeff Dickmander was named United Patriot. Leading the free throws with 68% was junior Tony Knapke.

Mr. Campbell Jr. Comments, "There is a strong chance of having a good team next year."

Boys Varsity basketball
Record 6-14

Her		OPP
30	Homestead	50
62	Churubusco	80
56	Northfield	52
53	New Haven	81
51	Luers	82
55	Harding	113
56	Southern Wells	65
38	South Adams	35
57	Norwell	70
50	Leo	77
54	Woodlan	74
49	Leo	54
66	Bellmont	93
65	Carroll	79
72	Ft. Wayne Christian	57
68	Adam Central	50
	Concordia	forfeit
56	Bluffton	54
65	Wayne	72
55	Wayne (sectional)	72

Trying for another free throw, Junior Mike Wilson achieves more points.

Running down the floor, Junior Jeff Dickmander assist a fellow team member.

Going up for a basket, Senior Jeff Crates fights for two points.

While jumping on his opponent, Senior Jeff Crates tries to shoot the ball.

Out jumping his opponent, Junior Mike Wilson shoots for two.

Boys' Varsity Basketball: (Left to Right) Mike Lortie, Tony Knapke, Doug Shinabery, Scott Ripley, Jeff Dickmander, Mr. Campbell Jr., Mike Wilson, Jerry Bultemeier, Randy Miller, Chad Linder, Jeff Crates.

Blocking a member from the other team, Senior Jeff Crates prevents him from passing.

Trying to keep the ball from the other team, Sophomore Curt Wills tries to pass the ball.

Heritage Baseball "Buffs" Battle Odds and See Gains

The Heritage Varsity Baseball Team had a rebuilding season this year with only two seniors. "We had to work very hard every game to keep our errors down. We gave up an awful lot of runs making it difficult to win," Sophomore outfielder Larry Hoffman commented about the season. Only one time during the season did the opponent score less than nine runs and Heritage ended up winning. Fifteen times out of the twenty-two games the opponent scored more than nine runs. Heritage, however, scored nine runs or more only four times. This helps to explain their 7-15 record. The conference record was strong compared to what was predicted before the season. With only the first game of a double-header counting towards the conference standings, the team finished 3-4.

The Heritage Reserve Baseball Team finished well this year with a 3-5 record. They started off slow by winning only one of their first four games. They beat Churubusco and lost to Woodlan, Leo, Norwell, and then Woodlan again. They came back, however, to defeat Harding and Elmhurst easily by margins of ten and nine runs. Again, they were beaten by a strong New Haven team that ended the season. "I was very happy we beat Harding and Elmhurst the way we did, but I feel we could have finished above five hundred," commented Freshman Gary Fry.

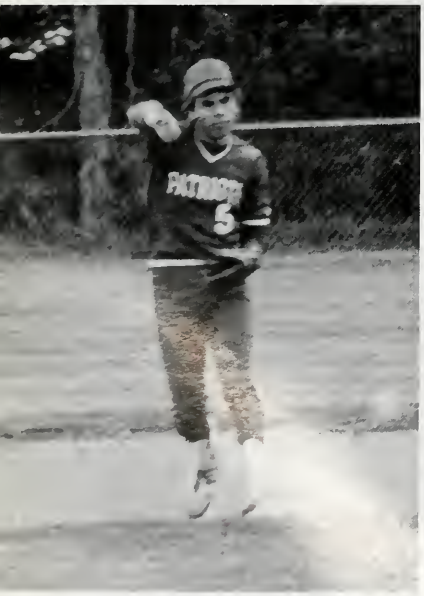
Varsity Baseball
7-15

Her		Opp
8	Northside	9
4	Woodlan	2
3	Woodlan	9
5	Norwell	9
8	Dwenger	9
0	Harding	12
5	Southern Wells	13
10	Churubusco	9
8	Churubusco	14
9	Adams Central	6
8	Leo	7
8	Leo	10
5	Bishop Luers	12
10	Bluffton	14
10	South Side	6
4	South Side	9
8	New Haven	6
2	Harding	10
6	Elmhurst	5
3	Carroll	6
3	Carroll	13
	Sectionals	
2	Bellmont	10

Reserve Baseball
3-5

Her		Opp
2	Woodlan	5
7	Churubusco	6
0	Leo	10
4	Norwell	12
0	Wo odlan	8
14	Harding	4
13	Elmhurst	4
4	New Haven	6

After fielding a ground ball, Junior Lane Hockemeyer throws to first base.



Varsity Baseball. Front Row: Manager Janice Grodrian, Mike Wilson, Chris Evans, Carlo Renninger, Curt Wills, Jeff Radabaugh, Chad Linder, Don Roop, Jeff Crates. Back Row: Larry Hoffman, Lane Hockemeyer, Rich Brinkman, Chris VanLear, Dan Beauchot, Rick Stults, Mike Lortie, Coach John Campbell, Jr.

Reserve Baseball. Front Row: Phil Graf, Rob Myer, Gary Fry, Jim Girardot, Matt Gerardot, Ted Beery. Back Row: Ed Poor, Kerry Roussey, Rich Brinkman, Rick Stults, Jeff Radabaugh, Coach Gary Huffman.

During a varsity baseball game, Junior Chad Linder leads off of second base.

In a reserve baseball game, Freshman pitcher Gary Fry throws the ball.

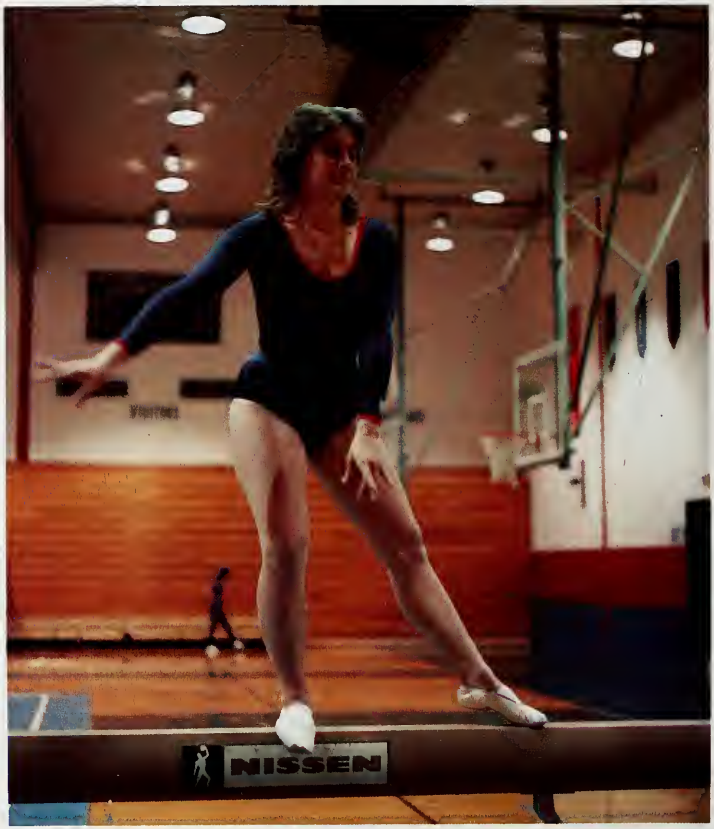
Attempting to get a hit, Senior Jeff Crates takes a swing at the ball.

Gymnastics
Optional
Season Record: 1-5

Her		Opp
39.35	Concordia	97.25
51.8	Wayne	87.3
65.05	New Haven	77.3
64.4	Harding	24.3
47.9	Leo	78.6
60.5	Norwell	86.8
73.2	A.C.A.C.	3rd
69.15	Sectional	6th

Gymnastics
Intermediate
Season Record: 2-4

He		Opp
59.5	Concordia	79.0
73.6	Wayne	81.7
60.8	New Haven	66.0
76.0	Harding	41.9
78.4	Leo	60.5
55.7	Norwell	60.7
53.0	A.C.A.C.	2nd
43.4	Sectional	5th



Waiting for a teammate to finish her routine, Freshmen Susie Baatz, Becky Scheumann, and Dawn Wilson observe closely.

In the middle of her routine, Junior Gail Beauchot concentrates on her balance performance.

Performing on the balance beam, Sophomore Lori Arnett gets ready to do a dismount.

After doing a Yami over the vault, Junior Holly Rice ends in a pose.

Concentrating on her routine, Junior Carey Stephenson completes a pose.

Gymnatics. Front Row: Jana Kiess, Susan Johnson, Ellen Lomont, Dawn Wilson, Debi Plummer, and Susie Baatz. Back Row: Becky Scheumann, Gail Beauchot, Holly Rice, Shelley Ertel, Karen Sorg, Carey Stephenson, Lori Arnett and Kelly Schlegel.

Gymnastics Team Shows Improvement

This years Gymnastics team did very well. The Optional team ended their season with a record of 1-5, and the Intermediate team, with a 2-4 season record also had a good season.

In Sectionals, Karen Sorg worked hard to win a 4th place on all around. Sorg also placed 5th on floor.

Debi Plummer stated "Gymnastics was really fun this year because I had great teammates and we all worked hard together."

All over, the team had a good season this year even though the season records don't show it.

Golf Team Shoots Well

The Heritage Golf team had a decent season this year with a 6-6 record. "I was very happy with the season this year because of the record, but I feel we could have done much better towards the end of the year, especially in the ACAC tournament and in sectionals," Sophomore Monty Guenin commented. By starting the season winning three out of the first four, the team was very excited. They beat New Haven, Southside, and Leo, and only were defeated by Harding. This gave them a 3-1 record over-all, and 1-0 in conference. They came back, however, to lose the next two meets against Churubusco and Bluffton dropping their conference record to 1-1, and their over-all record to 3-3. Another winning streak came on in the next three games following by an equivalent losing streak. First were Woodlan, Norwell, and South Adams, which were all won. Next were Bellmont, Carroll, and Wayne, which were all lost. With these last regular season meets, their conference record ended up to be a proud 4-2, and their over-all record to be a five hundred record at 6-6. In the ACAC tournament and sectionals they shot poorly and disappointingly finished sixth and fourteenth.

With an iron, Junior Doug Shinabery attempts to drive the green.

Varsity Golf
6-6

Her		Opp
157	Harding	149
157	New Haven	164
167	Southside	179
168	Leo	170
186	Churubusco	161
166	Bluffton	149
163	Woodlan	170
147	Norwell	162
177	South Adams	189
156	Bellmont	151
172	Carroll	162
162	Wayne	153
348	ACAC	6th
348	Sectional	14th

Golf. - (Front Row) Ron Vinson, Greg Harkenrider, Todd Aurand, Dale Scheumann, Doug Hedges, Scott Ruhl, Monty Guenin, Todd Rodenbeck. (Back Row) Coach George Wehrmeister, Mike Gepfert, Don Muldoon, Doug Shinabery, Larry Mott, Bryan Moore, Steve Clem, Chuck Irwin, Matt Tieman, Steve Dillon.

At the tee, Junior Tom Muldoon concentrates on the ball.

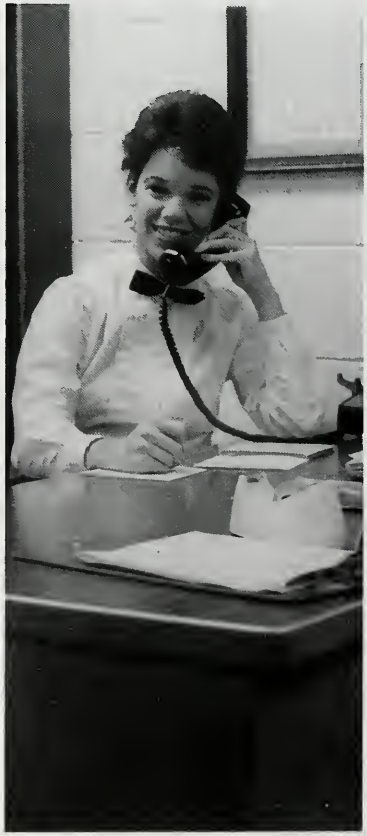
Taking a few practice swings, Junior Steve Dillon starts a round of golf.

Before playing, Juniors Todd Aurand putts while Steve Dillon watches.

On the green, Junior Ron Vinson tries to sink a putt.

At volleyball practice, Senior Laura O'Shaughnessey practices a bump for improvement.

Student helping in the office, Senior Holly Stults takes a phone message.



Chatting happily, a group of friends enjoy a "Huck Finn Dinner" in the Foods room.

Glancing through a dictionary, Senior Elizabeth Leonard searches for a word for the newspaper.

Students Add Dreams

During the high school years, attending student activities became necessary to relieve the building tension of school work. To achieve this, students built friendships with other classmates and their teachers. Also, students attended such events as Prom, Homecoming, Concerts, and Graduation.

As students became friends with others, they chose a select few to grow close to. These were the people that students would spend their free time with. They would go to parties, attend athletic events, and even travel to Florida together over spring break.

Activities such as Prom and Homecoming would provide special times when students could get together with a special friend. These were times that would always be remembered when one thought of high school.

Even though students may have heard one thousand times, "These are the best years of your life," they never realized how good they were at the time. However, these times would provide memories, and the friendships would provide dreams for the future.

Mr. John Bedwell: Boys' Basketball. **Mr. Sam Bertels:** German; Computers. **Mr. Richard Bourquin:** Guidance. **Mrs. Dorothy Bultemeier:** Administrative Secretary. **Mrs. Barb Butcher:** Para-professional.

Mr. John Campbell, Jr.: Recordkeeping Gym; Health. **Mr. John Campbell, Sr.:** Drafting; Drawing. **Mr. James Drews:** Principal. **Mr. Kim Fisher:** Metals. **Mr. James Fraser:** Greenhouse; Farming; Computers.

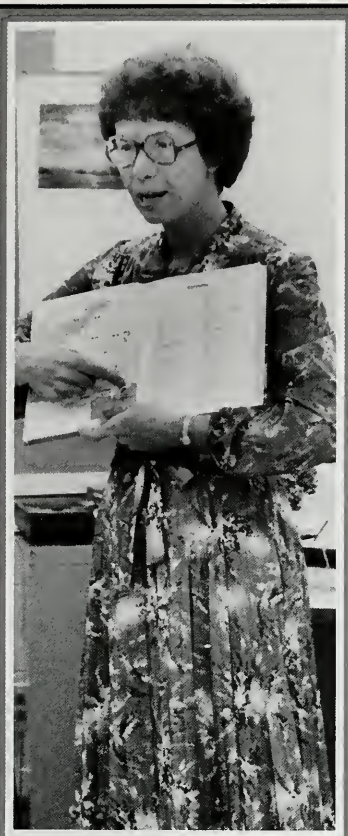
Mr. Bob Fritzinger. Mrs. Dorothy Germann: French; English. **Mrs. Sara Geroff:** Media Specialist. **Mrs. Cheri Gilbert;** Health; Sail; Girls Basketball. **Mr. Grabner:** Typing; Economics.

Preparing for a future profession, student teacher Mr. Steve Driver helps teach a Sociology class.

Custodians - John Barkley, Beverly Strader, Vern Rebber.

Cafeteria Personnel - (Front Row) Selma Gallmeyer, Evelyn Felt, Esther Meyer, Janet Hoffman, Pat Clay. (Back Row) Sue Fraser, Freda Herderhorst, Lorinda Koenemann, Luella Oehler, Ann Linker.

Teachers: Unique Combination



Pointing out an area of France, Mrs. Germann helps prepare her French class for an assignment.

They are the force that drives each of us; the combination of mentor and advisor that is required to bring out the best in every student.

They are our teachers, members of a unique club of people with a mixture of intelligence and insanity that is needed to handle the pressures of a demanding job.

Theirs is a job of intense emotions. They live and die for their students. Many outsiders have wondered how they can get through the tension-filled days and sleepless nights.

They sacrifice everything for rewards only they can fully understand: a perfect term paper, a student showing potential, or, even, a past student who finds his goals.

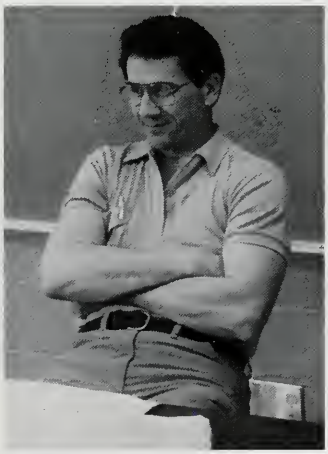
For many teachers, their expertise in a certain field comes from both past education and continual research.

While we gain their knowledge and try to memorize it long enough for a test or term paper, they are busy creating the knowledge of the future.

Staff

This year showed many staff changes. In administration, Mr. Jim Drews moved to the position of principal, and Mr. Gary Lake accepted the assistants job. In staff, Ms. Vicki Hadley and Mr. Jim Rinehart joined the "troops."

Heritage also had the honor of helping three student teachers begin their new careers, Mr. Todd Helmke in the P.E. department, Mr. Brad Byerly in the Choir classes, and Mr. Steve Driver in Social Studies.



While teaching a class, Mr. Radamacher watches as students take a test in Accounting.

Ms. Vickie Hadley: Foods; Family Relations. **Mr. Gene Hany:** History. **Mr. Cletus Heiman:** Math.

Mrs. Garnet Hisner: Attendance. **Mrs. Margaret Hunter:** Home Ec. **Ms. Jones:** LD/EH.

Mrs. Nancy Kirk: Guidance. **Mr. Ken Knoblauch:** English; Girls Basketball. **Mr. Gary Lake:** Assistant Principal.

What Am I Doing Here?

Feature

Being the teacher of high school students tends to be a very frustrating job. Many times a teacher may feel like he is playing "twenty questions" instead of teaching a class.

These questions do not usually consist of request for more information or even for further discussion of a subject. Instead, they usually are inquisitions that can drive a teacher up the wall.

One of the many common questions is "What was the question again?" Even though the teacher may explain the assignment many times and then post it on the board, the student who was gazing into space always misses the required work.

Another question is "What time does this class end?" Even if a student has been in the class for six months, he never can remember if the class is over at five 'til or on the hour. This, however, is sometimes directed to tell the teacher that he is boring.

Of ccurse these questions may seem innocent to the student, but they may cause the teacher to ask himself "What am I doing here?"

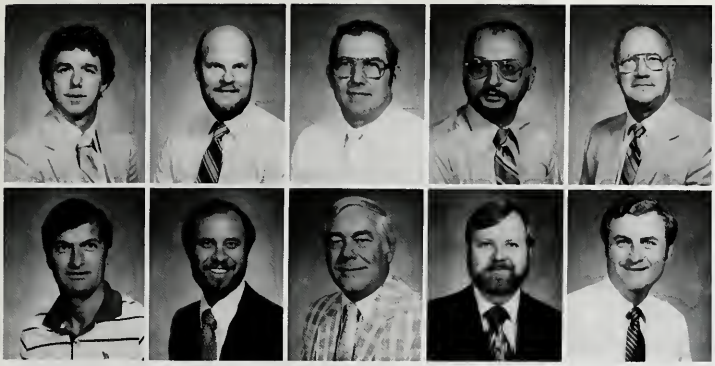
As he prepares the class for a government test, Mr. Arnold asks the students questions.

Mrs. Jan Lehrman: Nurse. **Mr. David Menze:** Science. **Mr. Jim Mergenthal:** Choir.

Mrs. Donna Newhouse: Bookkeeper. **Ms. Paula Pitcher:** Girls Basketball. **Ms. Shirley Ploughe:** Art.

Mr. Gene Price: English; History. **Mr. Doug Rademacher:** Accounting. **Mr. James Rinehart:** English; Publications.

To help students better understand Sociology, Mr. Schmidt explains the rules of a game.



Mr. Larry Robbins: Admininstrative Asst. **Mr. Larry Romary:** Math. **Mr. Thomas Rose:** English; Latin. **Mr. Jacob Ruby:** Woods. **Mr. W. W. Sadler:** Science.

Mr. Don Sarrazine. Science; Cross Country. **Mr. Jim Schmidt;:** Social Studies; Buskins. **Mr. Vern Tussing:** Band. **Mr. Reg Welch:** Math. **Mr. Bob Yager:** Science; Football.

Pouring 7-up into a punch bowl, Ms. Sara Geroff prepares for a faculty gathering.

During Computer class, Mr. Bertels helps Senior Terri Lydy and Amy Klingenberger with a flow-chart.

Heather Acosta
Neil Ainslie
Matthew Azbill
Susie Baatz
Brett Bade
Debra Bazzinett

Jeanne Beckman
Pete Beckman
Ted Beery
Susan Berry
Amy Biddle
Tamara Bienz

Mark Bischoff
Bob Bleeke
Wendy Blowers
Tony Bowers
Lois Bradtmueller
Tina Bradtmueller

Kelly Buckmaster
Tony Buescher
Davon Bultemeier
Cathy Cardwell
Brent Case
Christy Castleman

Troy Christman
Amy Clevenger
Terry Clover
Wendy Collett
Jon Cordova
Chad Critchley

Class Gains 3rd

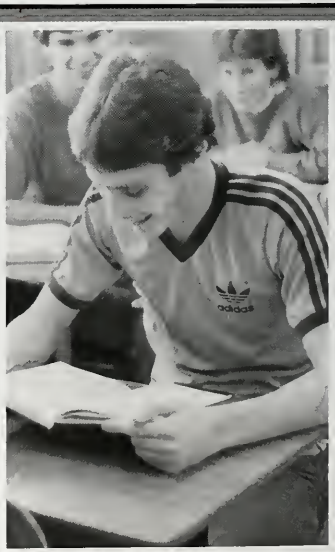
Freshmen

As a new school year began, Freshmen left their Junior High years behind them and concentrated on their four year journey through High School.

Many of them were busy over the summer with summer activities dealing with school such as band, football, and volleyball. Members were busy with practice and camps.

At the beginning of the year, the student council sponsored a freshmen mixer for the 140 new students.

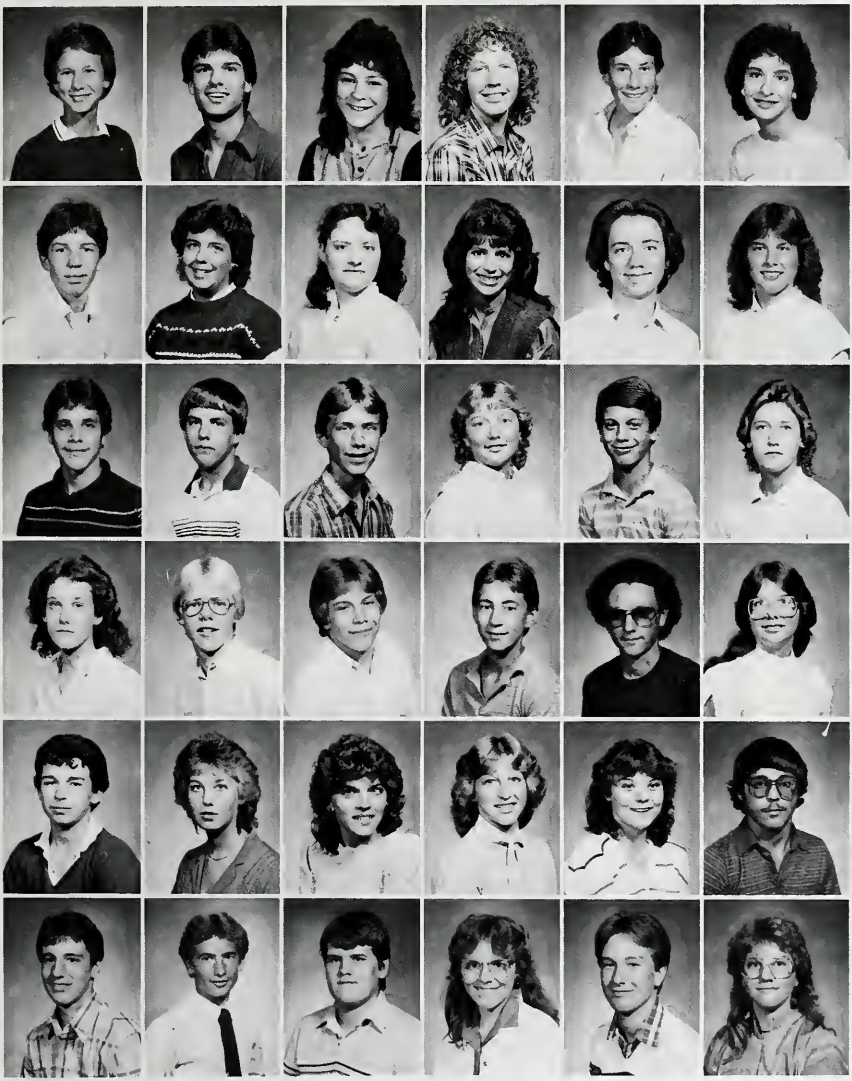
As always the start of a new year brought the competition and enthusiasm of Homecoming Week. For Class Dress Day the class dressed as "Freshmen Fifties" placing third. They also placed third for the banner competition and were disqualified from the bed race.



While in English class, Freshmen Jeff Feasby studies a given class assignment.

Freshmen Class Officers: Chad Critchley, Jeff Whitacre, Karen Stensland, Evangelin Naselaris.

Before track practice, Freshmen Dawn Wilson and Wendy Collett prepare by stretching out their muscles.



Amy Dager
James Davis
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Julie Davison
Shannon Deitschel
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Louis Diez
Kelly Dodane
Lisa Dunn
Janet Emenhiser
Stacy Emenhiser
Kristin Farnsworth

Jeff Feasby
Steve Foster
Gary Fry
Tricia Fuhrmann
Matt Furniss
Tana Galligher

Michelle Garland
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Chris Glover
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Phil Graf
Jessie Griffith
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Jean Hann
Chris Heimann

Steve Hetler
Tyrone Hockemeyer
Brad Hoffman
Dawn Hoffman
Joel Hoffman
Kim Hoffman

Paul Hoffman
Chris Humphries
Chuck Irwin
Don Jackson
Susan Johnson
Amy Kalthoff

Bev Koenemann
Rodney Kraner
Mike Lashure
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Brian Lothamer
Tammy Lydy
Vicky Maggos
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Troy Marquardt
Mike McCallum

Jody McDowell
Lyle McIntosh
Cynthia McKee
Bonnie McNett
Julie Melcher
Amy Meyer

Scott Morton
Larry Mott
Carl Miskotten
Travis Miller
Carlyle Moore
Rob Myer

Evangeline Naselaris
Theresa Nichter
Dan Nuerge
Karen Ottenweller
Sara Ottenweller
Chris Pierce

During "To Kill A Mockingbird", Freshman Amy Biddle portrays the part of Scout Finch.

Music, Parties Popular Pass-times

Feature

As weekend entertainment, the band **Legacy** provides entertainment at parties and dances.

What did students do for entertainment on the average weekend? Sporting events, Southtown Mall, and fast food establishments seem to be the above question.

In the fall, many students spent Friday nights at the football field. In the winter, basketball games provided a break in the weekday pattern. Whether one was a team member, a cheerleader, a band member, or a spectator, sporting events provided weekend entertainment.

Southtown Mall offered a wide variety of activities for students. Video arcades, shopping, movies, and eating were some things students enjoyed while spending an afternoon at the mall.

After games many students headed for Pizza Hut or McDonalds to catch up on the latest happenings and sit around to chat.

Most every weekend, a Heritage student could be found at one of these popular hang-outs.

Sophomore Nancy Hart stated, "I love to party. I like to get blood in my alcohol system sometimes. I look forward to crashing parties."

While is SAIL class, Freshman Heather Acosta presents her conglomeration of herself to the class.

As he presents ideas of himself, Freshman Neil Ainslie speaks to the Sail class about his conglomeration.

In the darkroom Freshman Tina Bradtmueller reviews a contact sheet while preparing to order a picture.

While in French class, a group of Freshmen listen to Mrs. Germann speak in the language.

During General Math class, Freshman Vicki Maggos stops to think about a problem.

Edward Poor
Ronnie Purk
David Ray
Kurt Pademacher
Sara Ratliff
Heidi Richman

Melissa Reidy
Todd Rodenbeck
Daun Rothgeb
Laura Roop
Kerry Roussey
Chris Rupert

Allison Rushart
Traci Saalfrank
Becky Scheumann
Becky S. Scheumann
Dale Scheumann
Denise Scheumann

Allena Scholer
Tom Schreiber
Tanelle Schultz
Michelle Schultz
Brian Screeton
Christine Sheets

Amy Shellenbarger
Karen A. Sorg
Tammy Sorg
Jana Springer
Pat Spitler
Mark Stahl

Karen Stensland
Jayme Strack
Barbie Ulman
Jim Voirol
Nelson Voirol
Stephanie Wagers

Angela Waggoner
Jeff Whitacre
Shanna Whiteside
Dawn Wilson
Mike Wilson
Theresa Woenker

During the summer, the cafetorium was remodeled to give the students a pleasant place to eat.

Relaxing with 'table talk'

Feature

It has been a long day. You have spent the entire first period study hall trying to finish a term paper that was due two weeks ago. Second was spent delving into the mysteries of Chem Lab. Third period Concert Band came and went. It is now time to slow your brain to neutral. You head for the cafeteria for a half hour of table talk.

"Why did that server smirk when I asked what we were having for lunch?"

"Doesn't he have any self respect? Look at the way he is eating!"

"If I see her once more today, I'll puke!!!"

"Check out the guy in the blue shirt buying Twinkies."

"I didn't know that the stomach could hold that much!"

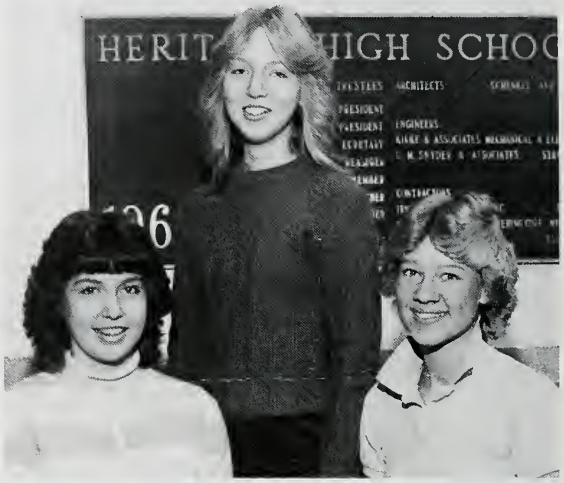
"Don't look now, but up by the salad bar is a really great looking girl."

"Did you know that Clair went out with Cliff Saturday night? Isn't that disgusting?"

Finally, you finish your last bite of cake and empty your tray. Sighing, you say good-bye to your friends and force your mind back on the values of Algebra functions.

During Homecoming Week, Sophomore Amy Roe constructs a corsage for the annual sale.

Sophomore Class Officers - Theresa Gerardot, Michelle Darras, Kris Coyne.



Lori Arnett
Mark Azbill
Chris Bailey
Chris Baldwin
Tina Bates
Sandy Bazzinett

Soni Bearman
Dan Beauchot
Misty Bitner
Robert Blain
Brenda Bowers
Jim Bowman

Dawn Bradtmueller
Tami Brenneke
Rick Brinkman
Rick Brock
Jim Brown
Roger Brown

Cindy Castleman
Steve Cenko
Angela Clem
Stephen Clem
Hope Clevenger
Steve Comment

Karrie Coonrod
Mike Coonrod
Chris Coyne
Nicki Dager
Michelle Darras
Mary Darsp

Bob Davison
Kelly Depew
Kevin Dorsch
Joe Dunaway
Shelley Ertel
Tim Evans

Mark Faller
Pat Franklin
Tina Fuhrmann
Colleen Galligher
Khris Galligher
Mark Gerardot

Tammy Gerardot
Theresa Gerardot
Bryan Gerber
Jeanne Gerig
Delladee Girardot
Bryan Grieze

Terry Griffiths
Jan Grodrian
Sheri Grogg
Monica Grotrian
Monty Guenin
Jennifer Hapke

While at cheerleading practice, Sophomore Cindy Castleman prepares for a game.

First In Spirit

Sophomores

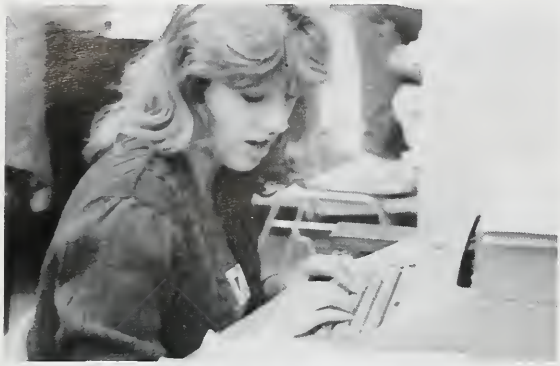
As sophomores, we entered the year with one year of experience behind us and with a feeling of confidence.

At the beginning of the year, class officers were selected, Janice Grodrian became president, while Kris Coyne was voted in as vice-president. Teresa Girardot was named secretary and Michelle Darras became treasurer.

The student council members were also selected for the sophomore class at the beginning of the year. Chosen for these positions were Cindy Castleman, Larry Hoffman, Karen Knapke, Joy Scheumann, and Curt Wills.

At Homecoming, we dominated most of the categories, receiving a first in overall competition. The theme for Class Dress Day was "tenth grade trick-or-treaters," in which we were awarded a first along with another first for spirit. "Nerd Day was the best," commented sophomore Tina Fuhrmann. "It was hilarious seeing people dressed like nerds."

As she prepares a layout for the **Lantern,** Sophomore Christina Kaplanis types a caption.



Members of the band, Sophomores Mike Hartman, Vance Renninger, Lori Arnett, and Ty Hockemeyer play in the percussion session during marching contest.

Sara Harkenrider
Nancy Hart
Brian Hartman
Michael Hartman
Doug Hedges
Julie Hernandez

Rhonda Highland
Troy Hockemeyer
Shenan Hoffacker
Heather Hoffman
Larry Hoffman
Cheryl Howe

Cindy Johnson
Kellie Judt
Chris Kaplanis
Kelly Kirk
Trent Klein
Karen Knapke

Dave Kolter
Craig Lahrman
Chris Link
Colette Linker
Jackie Long
Mike Magner

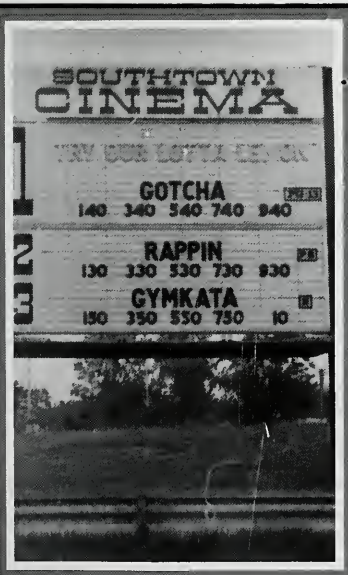
John Marquardt
Bill Mckee
Lora Meyer
Shelby Meyer
Mike Mitchell
Susan Oberley

Laura Oehler
Sharon Ort
Kurt Overmeyer
Jim Painter
Rick Pegg
Chris Penrod

Kathy Perkins
Ginny Pierce
Trina Pope
Mike Pyle
Jeff Radabaugh
Vance Renninger

Mike Reuille
Rod Rhymer
Amy Roe
Robin Roop
David Runkle
Scott Saalfrank

Steve Saalfrank
Keysha Sarrazin
Steve Sarrazine
Joy Scheumann
Shanna Scherer
Mike Schindler



Theaters at Southtown Mall provide an enjoyable selection of movies for dating.

Nervous 'Hello' Leads To Date

Feature

The phone rings. She picks up the receiver and answers a nervous "hello." There is an equally shaky voice at the end of the line, but by the end of the conversations she smiles triumphantly. She has a date for Saturday night.

Saturday afternoon one could see a typical dater trying to find just-the-right shirt in a closet of cast-offs or putting a perfect shine on the family car.

For many students a date might consist of catching the latest movie and stopping for a bite to eat. This may not have offered privacy but it did provide a break for those first-dates.

Concerts at the coliseum or Friemann Square were crowded with happy couples. These provided a place to meet with both dates and friends.

Whether the date consisted of a walk in the park or a gourmet meal, the memories that were made would last forever.

Doug Schloudroff
Shirley Schmidt
Angie Scott
Brian Sheehan
Tammy Shelburne
Rick Short

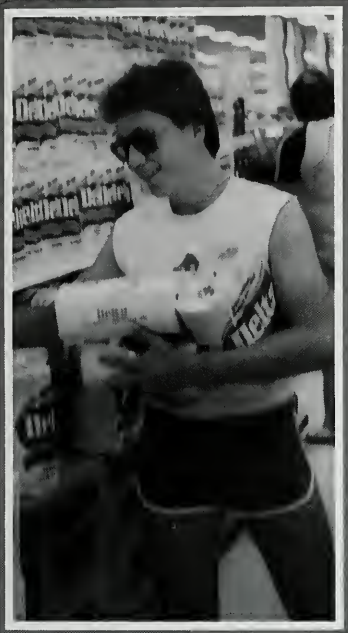
Gwen Simmerman
Jeff Smith
Rosann Smith
Rex Snider
JoLyn Solt
Dawn Sorg

Karen Sorg
Mary Lou Sorg
Dave Stensland
Karen Stephenson
Randy Stinson
Bob Stout

At wrestling practice, Junior Pat Metsker illustrates a move on Sophomore Dave Stensland.

During World History class, Sophomore Jackie Long prepares for an upcoming test.

As he prepares to T.P. a house, Sophomore Drew Tieman purchases paper at a grocery store.



T.P.ing Provides Student Entertainment

8:00 pm - Drive to the local grocery store.

8:05 pm - Go into the store and choose 50 rolls of the cheapest toilet paper.

8:10 pm - Go to the check-out lane and tell the cashier that you are expecting a toilet paper shortage.
Flirt with the cashier / carry-out.

8:15 pm - Decide who the victim is to be.

8:25 pm - Arrive at the victim's house. Hide the car. Be sure everyone knows where to meet in case of emergency.

8:30 pm - Begin work. String paper in all trees and bushes. For the maximum effect, deposit paper evenly throughout lawn.

8:50 pm - Meet at the car.

8:55 pm - Make up an alibi for school Monday morning.
Pray for rain.

9:00 pm - Wait for results.

Feature

Cassie Stout
Rick Stults
Monica Sumner
Janeece Ternet
Andrew Tieman

Chris Troutner
Mike Tschannen
Kurt VanHorn
Allen Vardaman
Tammy Vinson

Lora Voirol
Steve Walker
Jon Watson
Rhonda Webb
Amy Weber

Curt Wills
Joel Wise
Karla Wyss
Mike York
Clayton Young

Juniors Reach Goals

After realizing that they were finally upperclassmen, all 150 Juniors prepared for an exciting year full of memory-making events.

Four new class officers were elected with Paul Oberly, Don Niemeyer, Sheryl Neuok, and Andi Wills filling the positions.

Juniors

As the fall approached, all Juniors were issued magazine order forms. Each student was expected to sell five subscriptions to help pay for class activities.

Also, Juniors began to plan for the future. The PSAT was taken in November, and the SAT in May. College visitation was taken and Senior schedules were made.

On April 27, the Juniors hosted the yearly Junior/Senior Prom. Held at the IU-PU Ballroom, the Prom theme was "You're the Inspiration."

As the year came to a close, each Junior had many memories to treasure; but, also, they were looking forward to the memories that would be made by the class of 1986.

Junior Debi Plummer stated, "It was a fun year because it went so fast. However, I will be glad to finally be a Senior."

Practicing stitching, Junior Elizabeth Schane completes a clothing item.

Donia Ake
Pam Allison
Todd Aurand
Yvonne Bailey
Bob Bazzinett
Gail Beauchot

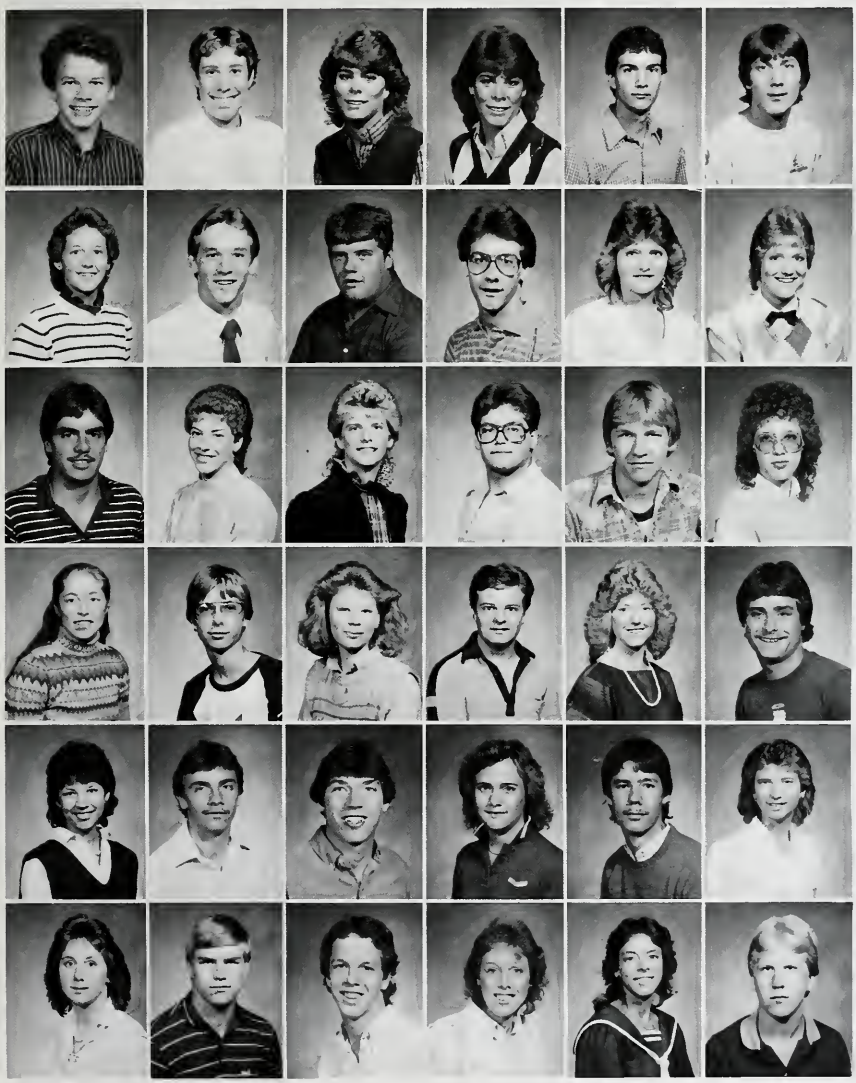
Brenda Behrman
Shelley Bergdall
Vicki Beerman
Mark Benzinger
Mark Biesiada
Barry Blain

Eric Bowen
Marcus Braaten
Vicki Bradfield
Mike Branning
Kim Brock
Jerry Bultemeier

Melyssa Bultemeier
Beth Campbell
Jerry Castleman
Larry Castleman
Mike Castleman
Monte Chrisman

Junior Class Officers - Paul Oberley, Don Neimeyer, Andi Wills, and Sheryl Neuok.

Concentrating on her routine, Junior Holly Rice hopes for a high score on the-optional beam.



Phil Codding
Susan Conn
Linda Coomer
Lisa Coomer
Greg Cordova
Brian Crager

Aleese Dickmander
Jeff Dickmander
Steve Dillon
Steve Eckardt
Vicki Ellsworth
Kathy Emenhiser

Chris Evans
Dorinda Fitch
Loriann Franz
Troy Frasure
Chip Gerardot
Tina Gerardot

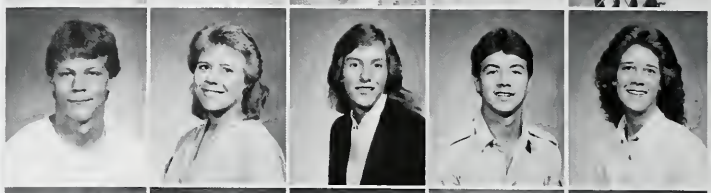
Jane Girardot
Jerry Gordon
Stacy Guenther
Tony Harding
Tammy Hart
Andy Heintzelman

Amy Hetler
Lane Hockemeyer
Dave Hoffman
Michelle Hoffman
Todd Hoffman
Cindy Hosier

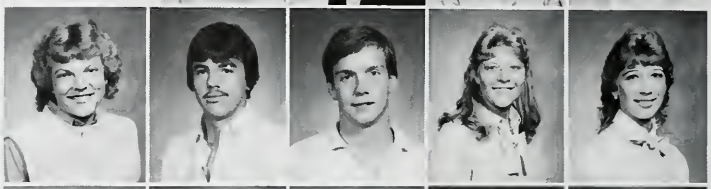
Paula Hugg
Rick Howe
Bruce Jeffrey
Deb Jeffrey
Laurie Johnson
Rick Johnson

Tracy Johnston
David Kiess
Jana Kiess
Janette Kiracofe
Rob Kline

Tony Knapke
Janet Koester
Jeanette LaVine
Chad Linder
Daun Lommatzsch



Michelle Lomont
Mike Lortie
Dale Love
Myra Mailand
Becky May



Mike McDougall
Becky Messman
Bruce Messman
Pat Metsker
Jeanine Meyer

Jobs Provide Goals

Feature

Whether they were earning money for future graduation plans or just for weekend parties, many students found it necessary to find a job.

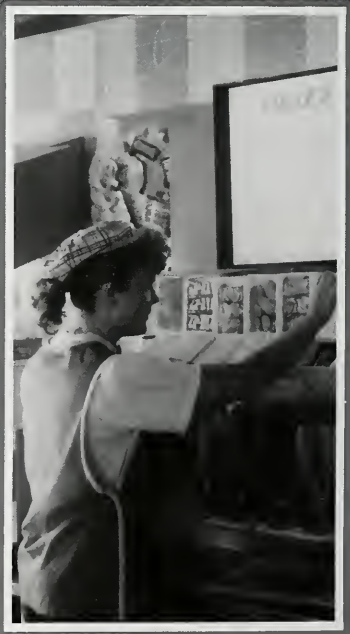
Having a job offered many students the advantage of having a little extra spending money, a sense of accomplishment and the experience of working.

Usually, these advantages outweighed the disadvantages. Less freetime and less time for homework caused many to think twice about employment.

At nearly thirty thousand dollars for college education saving money during high school was a necessity for the college bound student.

Pushing hamburgers and french fries or keeping customers who are looking for the perfect prom dress happy, a part-time job can be both rewarding as well as being employed is a good first step towards becoming self-dependent.

Pressing for a wished-for goal is sometimes needed to keep going. The want of a car, gave a reason to keep the daily work-pace in perspective during the year.



Because she has a job, Junior Michelle Lomont prepares a treat at a local Dairy Queen.

Waiting to be served, Juniors Debi Plummer, Gail Beauchot, and Lester Pierce enjoy a "Huck Finn Dinner."

During band practice, Juniors Jeanette LaVine, LuAnn Solt, and Stacy Guenther play their parts.

Before doing a lay-up, Junior Randy Miller prepares to jump for the ball.

Angela Miller
Randy Miller
Sharon Mitchell
Tom Muldoon
Sheryl Neuok

Don Niemeyer
Neil Oberley
Paul Oberley
Jeff Oehler
Carol Ort

Ed Ort
Steve O'Shaughnessey
Leslie Pierce
Debi Plummer
Chris Rennels

During Accounting Class, Junior Stacy Guenther works on an assigned packet for a final grade.

At a boys basketball game, Junior Carey Stephenson and Sophomore Kris Coyne do a pre-game routine.

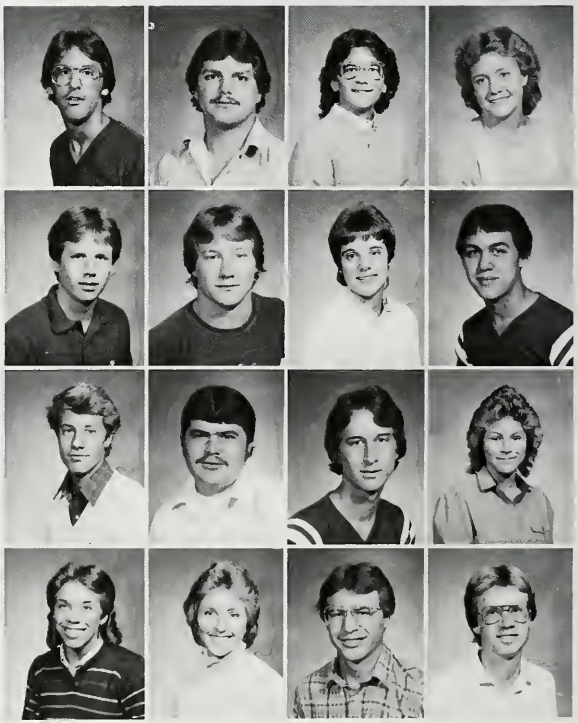
During a Home-Ec class, Junior Amy Meier watches a demonstration very carefully.

Ron Rennels
Carlo Renninger
Diane Reynolds
Holly Rice

Scott Ripley
Andy Roe
Kathy Rorick
Doug Roussey

Scott Ruhl
Bill Rykard
Don Sanders
Elizabeth Schane

Jana Scheele
Jani Scheiman
Darin Scheumann
Terry Scott



During the summer, Junior Steve Dillon enjoys playing golf at the Fort Wayne Country Club.

Students Dream Of Vacations

Feature

On the last day of school, many students dreamed of what the summer would hold. After students returned in the fall, those dreams became memories to be shared with friends.

A number of students spent their summer swimming, boating, skiing, and catching some rays at area lakes.

Many students went to summer workshops. The pompon, flag and rifle corps went to marching auxiliary camp. Cheerleaders attended Ball State's NCA Cheer Camps.

Spending a day at amusement parks interested many. Kings Island and Cedar Point in Ohio and The World's Fair in New Orleans were hot spots.

For students who were at home, the weekly rock concerts at Frieman Square provided a much needed get-away. They also provided a place for students to meet new people.

Despite the rivalry between Bellmont, Adams Central and Heritage, a bowling alley and fast food establishments provided summer hang-outs.

However, when summer vacation was over, most agreed that they were happy to be back; but they were also looking toward the next summer vacation.

Leroy Shaw
Doug Shinabery
Tom Shull
Maria Sgourakis
Brian Smith
Pat Smith

Luann Solt
Darrel Stephenson
Kevin Stephey
Kim Stephey
Mike Stinson
Pete Thompson

Matt Tieman
Clint Travis
Chris VanLear
Ron Vinson
Keith Waggoner
Jim Ward

Denise Wenger
Andi Wills
Mike Wilson
Melissa Winn
Dave Young
Linette Zelt

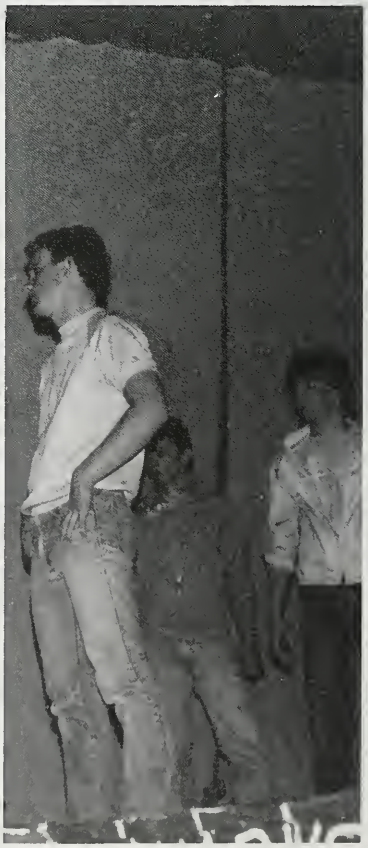
Snow Causes Long Rehearsals

"West Side Story" was and is one of the most difficult musicals because of the music. The cast and crew had to work extra hard to compensate for the week of school that was cancelled because of snow. Because of this, the rehearsals were longer and more tiring. There were many illnesses, probably because of the long hours. All the work paid off, though, for the total attendance for all three nights was 1,568. The total cost of the production was approximately $4,000, but they did make a large profit.

This year there was a large number of seniors involved with the musical. Forty Buskin members graduated this year. Mr. Schmidt was saddened to see them go because of being close to so many, but was also excited for them as they start new adventures. The class of '85 has been very active and talented.

When asked, Mr. Schmidt commented, "I truly enjoyed working with this cast and crew. everyone was cooperative and caring. That makes the experience worthwhile." He believed that all three directors were pleased with the outcome of Heritage High's production of "West Side Story."

Looking back, Senior Steve Grodrian (Bernardo) waits for his next lines.



Watching in fright, Seniors Keven Linker (Tony) and Steve Grodrian (Bernardo) look on as Senior Darryl Sheffer (Riff) dies from a stab wound.

During the musical, Sophomore Troy Hockemeyer watches the action with his fellow gang members.

Trying to remember the routine, Senior Darryl Sheffer concentrates on his dance steps.

Socializing at Doc's, Junior Pat Metsker and Sophomore Jackie Long wait for their cues.

Singing a love song, Seniors Holly Stults (Maria) and Keven Linker (Tony) put on a show for everyone to enjoy.

CAST OF WEST SIDE STORY

Seniors
Holly Stults
Keven Linker
Joel Huebner
Mike Roy
Kurt Howard
Darryl Sheffer
Steve Pflueger
Trent Sprague
Greg Harkenrider
David Fry
Kim Melcher
Lori Gepfert
Gina Doctor
Anna Jannson
Steve Grodrian
Mark Scheumann
Fred Bearman
Ted Jacquay
Jan Harris
Laura O'Shaughnessey
Kathy Kalthoff
Peggy Hockemeyer
Tana Maggos

Juniors
Scott Ruhl
Pat Metsker
Jana Keiss
Beth Campbell
Cindy Hosier
Melyssa Bultemeier
Carey Stephenson
Maria Sgourakis
Kim Meyer
Kim Stephey

Sophomores
Khris Galligher
Troy Hockemeyer
Jackie Long
Lori Arnett
Tina Fuhrmann
Kurt Overmeyer
Mick Hartman
Steve Saalfrank
Brian Sheehan
Jon Watson
Trina Pope

Freshman
Brent Case
Chad Critchley
Mike Lashure
Mike Wilson
Evangeline Nasalaris
Amy Biddle
Cathy Cardwell
Jill Grodrian
Don Jackson

Taking time out for a break, Seniors Steve Pflueger, Holly Stults and Keven Linker horse around at a performance.

During a dramatic court scene, Seniors Trent Sprague and Keven Linker battle for justice.

During pregame, drum major and majorettes march off after the "National Anthem."

Individuals Excell Through Performances

Heritage is known for its many different types of performances throughout the school year. The individual abilities each student contributes, helps to enhance the quality of a performance. Such individuals excell through band, choir, and theatrical performances.

The Heritage Community has always been proud to view these hard working students. The trend continued this year as we watched the dramatic play "To Kill a Mockingbird," or when we listened to the beat of our school song at a game.

Mr. Tussing, band director, expressed his feelings "We have some outstanding kids; my members reflect the whole school. There is a tremendous amount of talent here and I wouldn't trade this school for anything."

Playing the drums, Freshman Mike McCallum shows his school spirit by dressing for the beach dance.

Performing for pregame, Sophomores Jackie Long and Karen Sorg concentrate on their routines.

Expressing their talents, Junior Mark Benzinger and Senior Ron Schultz play the tuba for pregame.

Senior Prophecies

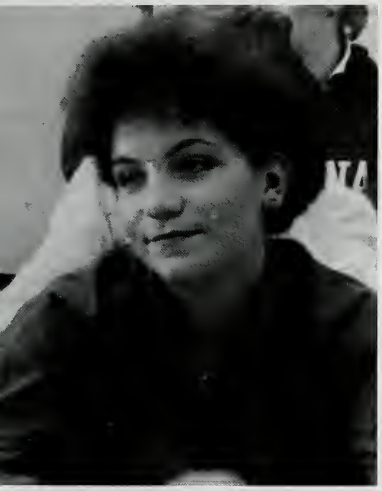
Most Athletic ..... Don Roop
Terri Lydy
Best Looking ..... Jeff Crates
Tracey Meier
Most Daring ..... Matt Chrisman
Laurie Grabner
Class Flirt ..... Kurt Howard
Dawn Dettmer
All-American ..... Don Roop
Karla Fry
Best Dressed ..... Jeff Crates
Tana Maggos
Most Likely To Succeed ... Greg Harkenrider
Karla Fry
Best Hair Style ..... Bryan Wyss
Christie Price
Class Clown ..... Tim Anderson
Laurie Grabner
Most Likely To Be The Next Sheriff ..... Terry Mowan
Laura O'Shaughnessey
Teacher's Pet ..... Steve Waggoner
Tana Maggos
Biggest Party-er ..... Todd Minnick
Julie Grotrian
Best Smile ..... Gregg Spieth
Colleen Conrod
Most Likely To Be Married ..... Joe Beerbower
Tracey Meier
Most Likel to Be In The "Indy 500" ..... Mark Kramer
Michelle Linder
Best Eyes ..... Ron Woods
Margie Ford
Most Friendly ..... Steve Waggoner
Linda Tussing

Terri Lydy (Most Athletic) receives the MVP award.

Terry Mowan (Next Sheriff) examines his computer program.

Steve Waggoner (Most Friendly) smiles while being caught by the camera.

Linda Tussing (Most Friendly) goes over homework with Junior Kim Meyer.



Tracey Meier (Best Looking) explains an answer to her fellow classmates.

Tana Maggos (Best Dressed and Teacher's Pet) listens to her homework assignment.

Ron Woods (Best Eyes) works out in the weight room.

Christie Price (Best Hair Style) works on her typing assignment.

"Alamanding" his partner, Senior Mike Roy and Sophomore Janice Grodrian enjoy a square-dance.

In a hand-stand position, Senior Ted Jacquay attempts to pop a balloon.

Taking a break from the dancing, Karen Clayton, Troy Lomont, Anne Hernandez and Bruce Jeffrey enjoy refreshments.

Enjoying the evening, Junior Becky May and her date share a slow dance.

After being crowned King and Queen, Juniors Aleese Dickmander and Kevin Stephey share a dance.

A Night To Remember

A night to remember, the 1985 Junior/Senior Prom, put on by the Juniors, was held from nine to midnight. "You're the Inspiration" was the theme in which the prom was based on.

The evening was filled with music by the band **Legacy.** A variety of music was played; along with the all popular square-dance. Fast dances were highlighted with antics of those popping balloons.

The dancing was preceeded by the crowning of King and Queen Prom Court. Crowned by last year's reign was Aleese Dickmander and Kevin Stephey. The annual "Senior Prophecy" and "Junior Wills" were presented with many varied reactions.

The prom came to a close, but for many the night had just begun. After-prom activities were carried on until early morning and the following day.

Prom Court: Randy Miller; Vicki Beerman; Don Niemeyer; Holly Rice; Queen and King, Aleese Dickmander; Kevin Stephey; Jane Girardot; Tony Knapke; Myra Mailand; and Jeff Dickmander

Upon entering the prom, Steve Pflueger, Regina Brames, Joel Huebner, and Jennifer Hapke pose for a picture.

Frank A. Acosta. Douglas R. Allison. Edward A. Anderson. Diane Louise App (Di); Latin Club 2,3,4; PatChat 4; Patriettes 3,4; Trackette 2; Wrestlerette 3; Y-Teens 3; Gymnastics 1.

Frederick John Bearman; Student Council 2,3,4; FFA 1; Letterman 3,4; German Club 3,4; Golf 1 2; Volleyball 1,2; Wrestling 1,2,3,4. **Marlena L. Beckman. Joe O. Beerbower;** Band 1,2,3,4; Letterman 2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2. **Dale A. Berning;** 1,2,3,4.

Michael J. Biesiada. Kamah Bitner. Charlene Mae Bradtmueller (Chucky); Buskins 2,3. **Doug Bradtmueller.**

Regina Louise Brames (Gina); Buskins 2,3,4; Latin Club 2,3,4; HSS 4. **Anna M. Burrage. Robert L. Butcher. Joseph J. Cenko.**

During the powder puff game, Senior Karen Sutter tries to outrun Junior Sue Conn.

On Homecoming Night, members of the football team try to gain pride for the senior members of the team.

Seniors Look To The Past

At Senior Recognition Night, Holly Stults, senior peps up the football crowd.

Seniors, if we look back on our high school years, we might compare it to a book with each year a different chapter. It was a book filled with drama, romance, excitement and fun.

As we started our first chapter, we were timid and unsure. We had three more chapters to write and some of us weren't sure we could do it. As the year progressed, we became more sure of ourselves. We no longer carried every book around with us so we could make it to class on time. We had discovered that there was time to converse with friends. The name "rookies" slowly disappeared from the ringing halls. Chapter 1 held much excitement, first we had a double ACAC basketball win, but the big event . . . the girls basketball team winning state. The flood of '82 came, and some of us helped fill sandbags. This brought an end to our first chapter.

We opened the second chapter as Sophomores and well adapted to high school life. Once again, chapter 2 brought much excitement. Our girls' basketball team again won the ACAC title, and once more we returned to Indy. The first mass breakfast at Heritage took place and consisted of Wheaties. By the end of the year, we were tired of Wheaties, but it was worth it when news arrived that Jody Beerman

Seniors

Matthew J. Chrisman. Karen Clayton. Rhonda M. Clem. DeWayne A. Coleman; German Club 3,4; Track 3.

Michelle Rae Collett; Basketball 1,2,3; Volleyball 1,3,4; Track 2,3,4. **Colleen J. Coonrod;** PatChat 1,2,3,4; HSS 4. **Jeffrey Jon Crates (Sleepy);** Homecoming Court 2,3,4; Prom Court 3; Student Council 3; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 1,2. **Dawn Louise Dettmer;** Band 1; Patriettes 2,3,4; Homecoming Court 2,4; Prom Queen 3; Student Council 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Volleyball 1.

Dale A. Doctor. Gina B. Doctor; Buskins 2,3,4, secretary 4; Play 3; Musical 4; Patriettes 2,3,4, captain 3,4; HSS 4; Cross Country 2. **Karla S. Doctor;** Band 1,2; Track 1. **Christine Marie Dorsch;** Somerset H.S. 1; Band 1,2,3,4; German Club 3,4.

Seniors Look To The Past (cont.)

Seniors

would appear on the Wheaties box. Our Sophomore year was the best for some, but chapter 3 might prove to be better.

We began chapter 3 as Juniors, and we were finally considered upperclassmen. Academically, we were beginning to think of college. We experienced the PSAT and prepared to take the grueling SAT. Romance entered the scene as we got a chance to sponsor and attend the prom. Of course, we must mention the excitement of the girls' b-ball team winning ACAC and sectionals once again. Congratulations also went out to the baseball team for winning their sectional. So ended chapter 3.

We were finally ready to write our fourth chapter. We were now leaders of the pack. Inside we had a lot of pressure; deciding on a career and a college to attend was at the top of the list. We struggled through government and social studies. By the end of the year we were mentally drained. Excitement filled the air as our girls' b-ball team captured ACAC and section-

Working as a student helper, Senior Bridgett Grubb dresses as a Senior Sleeper for Dress Day.

Susan Ann Evans (Smiley); Concordia H.S. 3; Band 1,2; PatChat 2,3. **Shannon Lynn Fitzgerald;** Cheerleader 1,2,3,4; Student Council 1,2,4, secretary 4; Band 1,2; Choir 2; Prom Court 3. **James L. Fritzinger;** Choir 2,3,4; Swing Choir 4; Rotarian 4; Basketball 1; Baseball 3; Track 1. **David R. Fry;** Band 1,2,3,4, major 3,4; Buskins 1,2,3,4; Play 1,2,4; Musical 1,2,3,4; Choir 2; Latin Club 3,4 v.p. 3; PatChat 2,3,4. **Karla Kae Fry;** Treasurer 1; Homecoming Queen 4; Volleyball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4.

Linda Sue Fuhrman; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 1,2,3,4. **Kelly K. Galligher (Kricket);** Choir 2,3,4; Photographer 2,3,4; Trackette 2,3,4; Wrestlerette 4; Y-Teens 1,2; Track 1,2,3,4. **Lori Renee Gepfert;** Buskins 2,3,4; Musical 3,4; Lantern 4; Trackette 2,3,4; Volleyball 1,2,3. **Jeff L. Gerardot. Lisa K. Gerardot;** Latin Club 2,3,4.

Laurie Rea Grabner; Band 1,2,3; Buskins 4; Musical 2; Vice President 2,3,4; Trackette 2; Basketball 1,2,3; Volleyball 1. **Steve L. Grodrian. Julie Dianne Grotrian;** Band 1,2,3,4; Patriette 2,3,4, captain 4; Latin 2,3,4; HSS 4; Student Council 1; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Volleyball 1,2,3,4. **Stu Grotrian. Brigitte L. Grubb;** Band 1,2; Buskins 2,3; Musical 1,2; Choir 1,2.

Gregory David Harkenrider (Buzz); Band 1,2,3,4; Buskins 1,2,3,4; Choir 2,3,4; Swing Choir 2,3,4; Play 2,3,4; Musical 1,2,3,4; Vice President 1; President 2; Golf 1,2,3,4; **Janet M. Harris;** Band 1,2; Choir 2,3,4; Swing Choir 2,3,4; Buskins 1,2,3,4; Play 1,2,3,4; Musical 1,2,3,4; PatChat 2,3,4. **Treva Hart. Mark Hartman. David Hapke (Hitman);** Band 1,2; Choir 4; Track 1,2,3,4; Volleyball 2; Basketball.

Ronald T. Helmsing (W.F.); Letterman 3,4; FFA 2,3; Baseball 1; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 2; Wrestling 3. **Anne M. Hernandez;** Y-Teens 3; Wrestlerette 3. **Douglas S. Highland. Peggy L. Hockemeyer.**

Shari D. Holle. Bryan L. Hood; FFA 1,2; Football 1. **Maria Louise Horstmeyer (Crocker);** Choir 3; Photographer 2,3,4; Y-Teens 1,2; Trackette 2; Track 2. **Kurt Patrick Howard (Bluto);** Band; Choir; Buskins; Swing Choir.

Joel Burrel Huebner (J.B.); Band 1,2,3,4; Choir 2,3,4; Play 3,4; Musical 2,3,4; Buskins 2,3,4; Swing Choir 3,4. **Anna F. Jansson. Ted A. Jacquay;** President 3,4; Cross Country 1,2,3; Wrestling 1,2. **Kenneth J. Johnson.**

Sandra Marie Johnson (Sandy); Buskins 2,3,4; Photographer 4. **Kathy Jean Kalthoff (Kaj);** Art Club 1,2,3; Buskins 2,3,4; Musical 2,3; Choir 2,3,4; Swing Choir 4; Cheerleader 3. **Chris R. Kendall (Fatman);** Buskins 2,3,4; Football 3. **Gay Ellen Kleinknight;** Buskins 3,4; German Club 3,4; Play 3; Trackette 3,4; Basketball 1; Cross Country 2.

Amy E. Klingenberger; Buskins 1,2,3,4; Spanish Club 2,3; Y-Teens 1,2; Trackette 3,4. **Craig D. Knuckles;** Track 1; Volleyball 1,2. **Melissa J. Koch. Elizabeth S. Kramer.**

Surrounded by a group of juniors, Senior Anna Jansson pushes her way through in the powder puff game.

Senior Class Officers (l to r): Jana Webb, Laurie Grabner, Ted Jacquay, and Julie Grotrian.

Mark Kramer. Phil Kuhn. Kim Rene Lahrman (Kimmie); Band 1,2,3,4, majorette 4; Photographer 2,3,4, editor 3; **Jennifer Maureen Lawrence;** French Club 2.

Walter L. Leininger. Elizabeth A. Lemmon; Choir 2,3,4; Photographer 2,3,4; Speech Team 4. **Elizabeth A. Leonard (Liz);** Luers H.S. 3; PatChat 2,4. **James Lee.**

Michelle Rae Linder; Latin Club 1,3,4, treasurer 3; Student Council 1; Trackette 1,2; Track Court 2; Cheerleader 1,2,3,4; Gymnastics 1,2. **Keven Linker. Tonya Sue Lommatzsch;** Homecoming Court 4; Latin Club 3,4, president 4; Gymnastics 1; Track 2,3,4. **Henirk G. Louie.**

Teresa Rayna Lydy (Terri); Band 1,2,3; Trackette 2,3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Track 2; Volleyball 1,2,3,4. **Soultana Maggos (Tana). Jean Ann Maldeney;** Choir 2,3,4; Track Mgr. 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1; Volleyball Mgr. 1,2,3,4. **Lori L. Mallett.**

Because she is a member of the Homecoming Court, Senior Tonya Lommatzsch smiles at the crowd as she rides to the crowning ceremonies.

On Class Dress Day, Senior Chris Ross dresses as a Senior Sleeper to promote spirit for the Homecoming game.

At the Homecoming Dance, Seniors Dawn Dettmer and Mark Scheumann take time to enjoy a dance.

Seniors Look To The Past (cont.)

al victories. By the time spring break arrived we were ready for a break. Several of us ventured to Florida and came back with numerous stories and great memories. Finally the big day arrived . . . Graduation. It was the highlight of the entire book. It brought tears of joy to our eyes, yet it also brought tears of sadness. We were now 1985 graduates of Heritage High school . . . and proud of it!!

We could now close the book, but we had to keep it near for future years. It was a book filled with many stories and memories that we will always hold dear in our hearts. Although we had just ended the book, we were just beginning to write another on our future years. This would be filled with our careers, but high school would live on in our hearts.

Seniors

Douglas B. May; Buskins 1,2,3,4; Play 2; Musical 1,2,3; Choir 2,3,4; Latin Club 2,3,4; Swing Choir 3,4. **Amanda Kay McCallum (Mouse);** Lantern 4; Basketball Mgr. 1,2,3. **Tracey Lynn Meier;** Secretary 3; Homecoming Court 4; Prom Court 3; Trackette 1,2,3,4; Track 1. **Kimberly Sue Melcher;** Buskins 3,4; Patriettes 2,3,4, captain 4; Musical 3,4; Homecoming Court 3; Trackette 1,2,3,4; Gymnastics 1; Volleyball 1,2,3. **Ludwig T. Meyer.**

Robyn Lynne Miller; Buskins 1,2,3,4; Patriettes 2,3,4, captain 3,4; Trackette 2,3,4; Spanish Club 1; Y-Teens 2; Basketball 1. **Tammy Lyn Minich;** Buskins 2,3,4; Patriettes 3,4; Y-Teens 1; Trackette 1,2,3,4; Wrestlerette 3; Basketball 1; Volleyball 1. **Todd M. Minnick;** FFA 1,2,3; Football 1. **Angel M. Mohr. Bryan Wayne Moore;** Band 1,2,3,4; President 1; Latin Club 1,2,3,4; Musical 2,3,4; Golf 2,3,4.

Dana Mott. Terry L. Mowan. Donald J. Muldoon. Tony Nichter. Rebecca L. Northcutt.

David A. Ort. Laura Marie O'Shaughnessey; Band 1,2,3,4; Choir 1,2,3,4; Swing 3,4; Latin 2,3,4; Basketball 1; Track 1; Volleyball 1,2,3,4. **Paul F. Ottenweller;** FFA 4; Student Council 4; Volleyball 1,2; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2. **Sheri Lynn Peters;** Band 1,2,3,4; Buskins 3,4; Musical 3; Choir 2,3,4. **Steven Michael Pflueger;** Band 1,2,3,4; Buskins 3,4; Choir 3,4; German 3; Football 1,2; Track 1.

Robert L. Prescott. Christie J. Price; Cheerleader 1,3; PatChat 2. **Pamela Sue Proegler;** Band 1,2,3; Buskins 1,2,3,4; Latin Club 3,4; Trackette 1,2,3. **Heidi L. Powelson.**

Denise R. Quickery. Steen D. Rasmussen. Mark H. Ratliff. Thomas Edward Rennels; Choir 2,3,4.

Jaime S. Renninger; Letterman's Club 3,4; FFA 2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4; Wrestling 2. **Jeanette R. Reuille. Donald Wayne Roop Jr.;** Letterman's Club 2,3,4; Homecoming Court 4; Prom Court 3; Releys Court 3; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1; Football 1,2,3,4. **Marcy K. Rorick.**

Christine Renae Ross; Latin Club 2,3; Trackette 3,4; Wrestlerette 3,4. **Michael L. Roy;** Student Council 2,3,4; Buskins 1,2,3,4; Musical 1,2,3; Play 1,2,3,4; Homecoming Court 4; Prom Court 3; Lantern 2; Track 1; Cross Country 1,2. **Kelly Annette Rushart;** Latin Club 1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3; Cross Country 1,2; Track 1. **Sally Jo Salway;** French Club 1,2; Lantern 2.

Knuckles Named Commended Student

Feature

After he scored very highly on the PSAT/NMSQT test, Heritage was notified that Senior Craig Knuckles was named as a Commended Student in the 1985 Merit Program.

Craig D. Knuckles placed in the top five percent of over one million students. He then received a letter of commendation in honor of outstanding promise for future success from the National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC). Knuckles entered the Merit Scholarship program by taking the PSAT in his junior year of high school.

15,000 semifinalists were named in this year's contest. These award winners will compete for 5500 Merit Scholarships to be given away in 1985.

An officer of the NMSC proclaimed that, "The exceptionally high test performances of young people who are named Commended Students in the extremely competitive Merit Program is deserving of recognition in their community."

As he sits in Senior Math class, Craig Knuckles searches for a missing assignment.

Susan Elain Scharpenberg; Band 2; Choir 2; German 3,4; Track 1,3,4. **Mark Calvin Scheumann (M.C.);** Band; Student Council; Baseball 1; Basketball 1,2; Track 3; Volleyball 1. **Tammera LaVon Scheumann (Tami);** Band 1,2; Buskins 1,2,3,4; German 3; Basketball Mgr. 2,3. **Tina E. Schlemmer** Photography 3,4. **Lanette Schmidt.**

Ronald Thomas Schultz; Band 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 2; Golf 2,3,4. **Deanna L. Sheets. Darryl Scott Sheffer (Big Shef);** Buskins 3,4; Choir 2,3,4; Swing Choir 2,3,4; Letterman's 4; Basketball 1; Football 1,2,3,4. **Randy Dallas Short;** FFA 4; Baseball 1. **Timothy Allen Shroyer;** FFA 1,2,3.

Gelana E. Smith. Roger D. Snider. Doug E. Sorg. Heidi M. Spangler; Band 1,2,3,4; French Club 1; Y-Teens 1. **Andy Mark Speith.**

Andrew Joseph Speith (W.F.); FFA 2,3,4; Track 1. **Gregg R. Spieth;** Letterman's Club 3,4; Football 1,2,3,4. **Trent Nolan Sprague;** Buskins 1,2,3,4; Musical 1,2,3,4; Play 1,4; Concert Choir 2,3,4; Swing Choir 3,4. **Holly Jill Stults;** Cheerleader 1,2,3,4; Choir 2,3,4; Swing Choir 4; Homecoming Court 1; Buskins 1,2,3,4 v.p. 4; Play 2,3,4; Musical 1,2,3,4; French 2,3. **Teri Renae Sumner.**

Karen Denise Sutter; Patriette 3,4; Trackette 1,2,3,4; Cross Country 2; Basketball 1,2; Track 1,2,3. **Darlene F. Taylor. Paul A. Taylor. Lisa E. Theime;** Band 1,4; Buskins 1,2,3,4; Choir 2; Spanish 2,3; Trackette 4; Track 3. **Matthew Taylor Thompson (Otter);** Band 1,2,3,4.

Linda Louise Tussing; Band 1,2,3,4, treasurer 4; Buskins 2,3,4, treasurer 4; Play 4; Musical 2,3; Choir 2,3,4; Swing Choir 3,4. **Brent VanHorn;** FFA 1,2,3,4; Football 1. **Louis E. Voirol;** Wrestling 1,2. **Christina M. Voorhies. Steven C. Waggoner (Wag);** Art Club 1; Homecoming Escort 4; Letterman's Club 1,2,3,4; Spanish 1; Cross Country 1,2,3,4; Track 1,2,3,4.

Jana L. Webb. Susan Lynnette Williams (Susie); Band 1,2,3; Patriette 3,4; Latin 2,3 Musical 2. **Joleen Wilson. Ron J. Woods. Bryan J. Wyss.**

Coach Heiny instructs Junior Randy Miller on offensive plays.

Seniors Mike Roy and Kelly Rushart enjoy getting crazy at the Homecoming Dance.

1984-85 **Homecoming Court;** Jim Girardot, Doug Hedges, Scott Ruhl, Mike Roy, Mark Scheumann (King), Steve Waggoner, Paul Ottenweller, Jeff Crates, Don Roop, (not shown), Karla Fry (Queen), Julie Grotrian, Tonya Lommatzsch, Tracy Meier, Dawn Dettmer, Dawn Lommatzsch, Cindy Johnson, Amy Biddle.

Senior Ted Jacquay and Junior Andi Wills enjoy a slow dance together.

Senior Powder Puff players go over their strategies.

1984-85 Homecoing King and Queen seniors Karla Fry and Mark Scheumann.

Offensive line blocks, while senior Don Roop gains yardage.

A Homecoming Victory

Homecoming Week, October 3-5, began with the students dressed as "Nerds."

Thursday's events consisted of "class dress day" and the "Powder Puff Game." the class themes were chosen as; "Freshman 50's", "Tenth Grade Trick or Treaters", "Eleventh Grade Elderly", and "Senior Sleepers". That evening, the senior girls pulled off a 24-12 victory over the junior squad during the Powder Puff game.

On Friday, enthusiasm filled the gym floor when a pep-session was held for the football players.

Homecoming night, a bed race was held. Juniors came in first with Sophomores trailing second, seniors third and the freshman were disqualified. Then the Heritage Football team met with South Adams. A victory was won with a 42 to 6 score.

After the game, students crowded into the cafetorium for Swing Choir's annual dance, the final event of the week. At this time a king was chosen, Mark Scheumann, and crowned by the new queen, Senior Karla Fry.

Fall Play has Sensitive Matter

This year, Heritage High School chose to perform a very challenging production. 1,025 people showed up to see *To Kill A Mockingbird,* which was the largest turn-out ever. Because of the few black parts, it was a tough acting job, but the cast members worked very hard, and received the largest profit ever for their accomplishments.

Harper Lee's Pulitizer Prize Winner has rarely been done by other high schools because of it being such a sensitive matter. The director, Mr. Jim Schmidt, received many letters stating that the play moved many people, and because of that he was very pleased.

There were 32 people in the play. "Everything was great because everybody could identify with the part they had," commented Greg Harkenrider. When asked, Jackie Long said, "It gave me a chance to get to know more people." The fall play was a big success.

After speaking aside to the audience, Senior Jan Harris (Adult Scout) listens, while Junior Kim Stephey (Mrs. Dubose) gripes at Freshman Amy Biddle (Scout).

The townspeople stare in amazement as Atticus speaks to his children.

Fellow cast members watch as Senior Trent Sprague (Atticus) attempts to shoot a mad, rabid dog.

Accepting a sack of turnip greens from Senior Mike Roy (Mr. Cunningham) for some services, Senior Trent Sprague (Atticus) thanks him.

Fighting in the dark, Senior Steve Grodrian (Mr. Ewell) struggles with Junior Scott Ruhl (Jem).

Discussing a problem with Atticus, Freshman Chad Critchley (Sheriff Tate) warns him to be careful.

During the trial of Tom Robinson, Senior Trent Sprague (Atticus) speaks to the audience about equality and justice.

Spring Break '85

For students, Spring Break began the first week of April. April Fool's Day proved our foolishness in remaining in the Indiana area because of the freezing temperatures and falling snow. Those who migrated to the South found in contrast to our freezing temperatures, warm and balmy weather.

The main attraction for most Spring Break travelers was the beaches in Florida. Many Seniors take annual trips to the hot spots of Florida such as Daytona, Clearwater, and Ft. Lauderdale. Senior Steve Waggoner who visited Ft. Lauderdale stated "It was wild just like the movies. There were more women exposing their skin there then I've ever seen in my life."

Others traveled to such places as Texas, California and even Europe. Sophomore Lora Meyer and her family visited many parts of Europe. "My trip was really interesting and different then anything you'd ever see here because they were so behind in technology," replied Lora Meyer.

Although many had opportunities to travel all students enjoyed the Spring Break.

On the beach, Seniors Tracey Meier and Kelly Rushart get a glimpse of the hot Florida sun.

Relaxing in the sun, Junior Sue Conn and Senior Tammy Minich maneuver a paddle boat.

Under a Florida palm tree, Juniors Debi Plummer and Gail Beauchot get crazy.

At South Fork Ranch in Dallas, Texas Senior Christie Price and her boyfriend enjoy the Texan environment.

At Disney World, Mike Gepfert converses with a Disney character.

Cooling off, Seniors Terry Mowan, Bryan Hood, and Dale Berning enjoy a refreshing drink on the beach.

Graduates Follow Their Dreams

"Press on and Follow Your Dreams" was the theme selected for the Class of '85. The ceremony was held May 23rd with a congregation of many relatives and friends.

As the Seniors entered the gym with lighted candles in the darkness, all could see that this was a special class. They had shared many memories in their past four years at Heritage, and they showed this unity, as a class, by lighting their candles from a central candle located in a gazebo.

Speakers, such as the Valedictorian; Karla Fry and Salutatorian; Tonya Lommatzsch, spoke of the past memories and the future plans ahead.

At the latter end of the ceremony, the Senior choir members sang "Closing Prayer" as the Benediction.

After a central candle had been lit and the class of '85 tossed their caps into the air, they receded from the gym to the tune of the School Song.

Receiving her diploma, Senior Susan Evans smiles at Mr. Drews.

Senior class members hold lighted candles to symbolize their unity during the graduation ceremony.

Mixed emotions show through when Seniors Kim Lahrman and Cindy Johnson embrace each other.

Lighting their candles, Seniors Karla Fry and Tonya Lommatzsch stand in the gazebo.

Mr. Hockemeyer congratulates Senior Roger Snider as he accepts his diploma.

Sharing his memories, Senior Steve Pflueger speaks at graduation.

Working out a problem, Junior Laurie Johnson, Seniors Linda Tussing, and Karla Doctor study the screen.

In the greenhouse, Senior Sandy Johnson waters her plants in preparation for the Christmas holiday.

Working with numbers, Senior Michelle Linder uses a machine to balance.

During a Home Ec class, Freshman Ellen Lomont learns to wind a bobbin before preparing to sew.

Academics Add Dreams

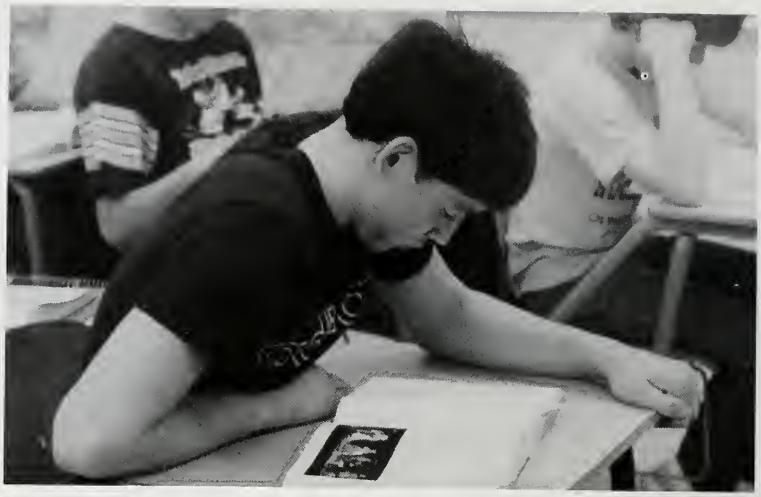
During the school year, a student builds many dreams about academics. A broad definition for the word is "liberal education," but for many students it has more precise meaning. It is the long nights spent studying for a Physics test; it is a grueling struggle to comprehend Williams Shakespeare's many facets of writing; and it is the mind-draining efforts to understand an Algebra assignment.

Many students push themselves for four years dreaming of the final reward — graduation. To become valedictorian, salutatorian, or an Honor Society member makes the sacrifices worth while. Walking up to receive a diploma wearing a gold cord and tassel makes many students forget the long hours.

The dreams that a student builds while pursuing academics will help conquer future dreams. These dreams may be the dreams of a future collegiate, a future businessman, or a future housewife, but they still help the student gain responsibility and strive for his own "rainbow of dreams."

While in English class, Freshman Chris Pierce finishes reading his assignment.

The photographer sneaks a shot as Sophomore Dawn Bradtmueller takes a bite of pizza.



During Latin class, Junior Lori Stasell works to finish her assignment.

Portraying Julius Caesar, Sophomore Jim Bowman is stabbed by his fellow classmates.

Attention On Poetry & Drama

After interviewing the teachers of the English Department, it was obvious that much time and attention was given to poetry and drama. Several classes studied Shakespearean plays such as "MacBeth" and "Julius Caesar". Mr. Rinehart's Sophomore English class performed "Julius Caesar", and his Senior English class acted out "MacBeth". Other teachers spent time on "Romeo and Juliet", "West Side Story", and "To Kill A Mockingbird".

Mrs. Germann's Junior English did something unusual this year. One of the areas they covered was Mark Twain and his novel "Huckleberry Finn". During this time, they held a "Huck Finn Breakfast" in the morning and a dinner in the afternoon.

The Foreign Language Department had their usual parties during the holidays. The French students attended "The Three Muskateers", performed by the National Theater of the Performing Arts, Ltd. The Spanish students attended a concert performed by Kantares, a Spanish singing group. The students enjoyed both shows.

While in Spanish class, Junior Jane Girardot browses through a Spanish newspaper.

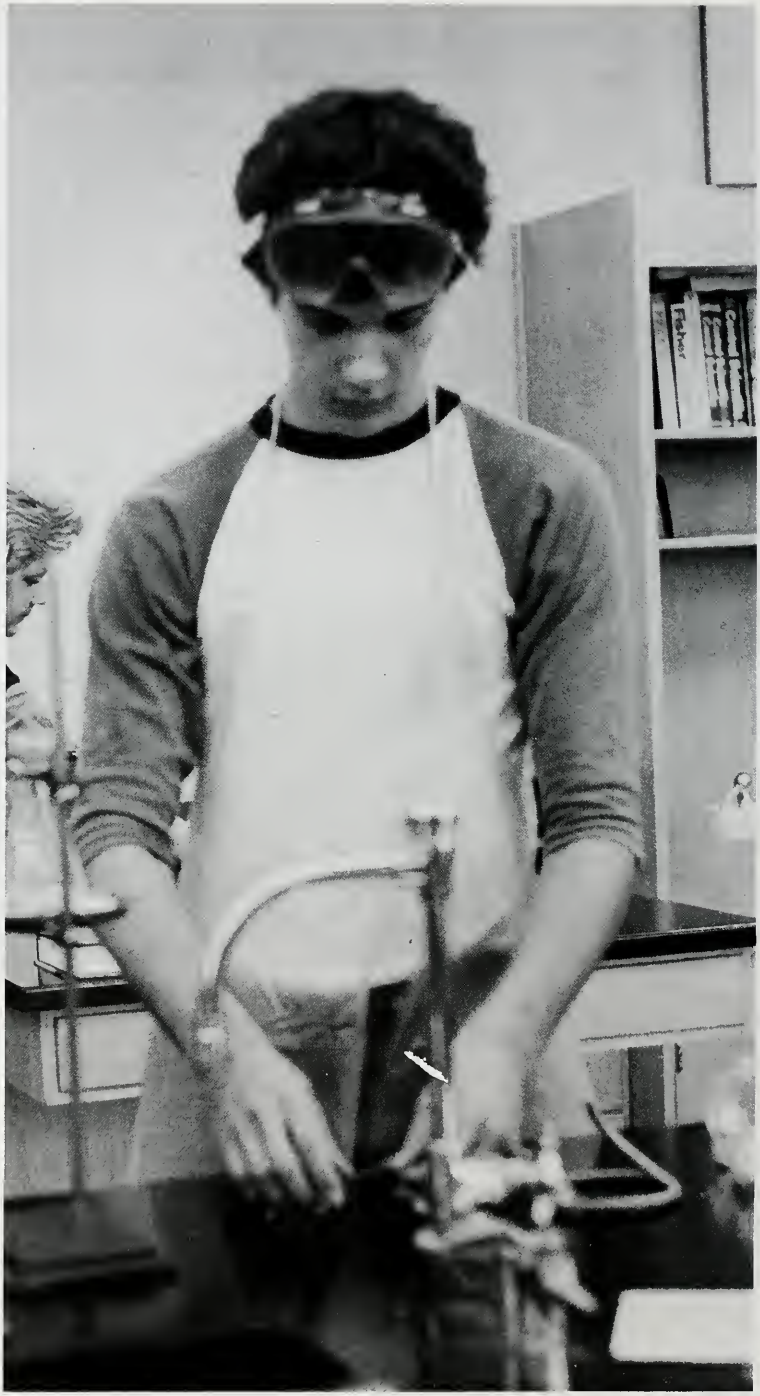
Science Improves

The Science area took on new changes this year. A new subject, Honors Earth Science, was added to the curriculum. Taught by Mr. Yager, it's an accelerated Science for freshman. Mr. Yager thinks it is a needed subject.

When interviewed, most Science teachers said they had outstanding students and really enjoyed teaching. Mr. Menze, commenting on Chemistry said: "We want to explore the furthest depths of the chemical frontier." Mr. Sarrazine took human genetics classes over the summer and hopes to bring the students up-to-date in that field.

When conversing with the Math teachers, they also mentioned the outstanding students.

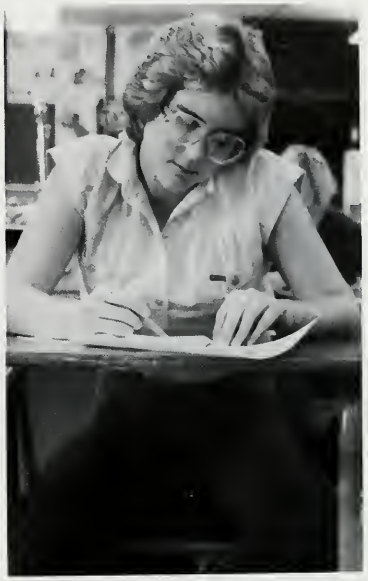
Senior Darryl Sheffer takes time from his study to laugh at one of Mr. Romary's jokes.

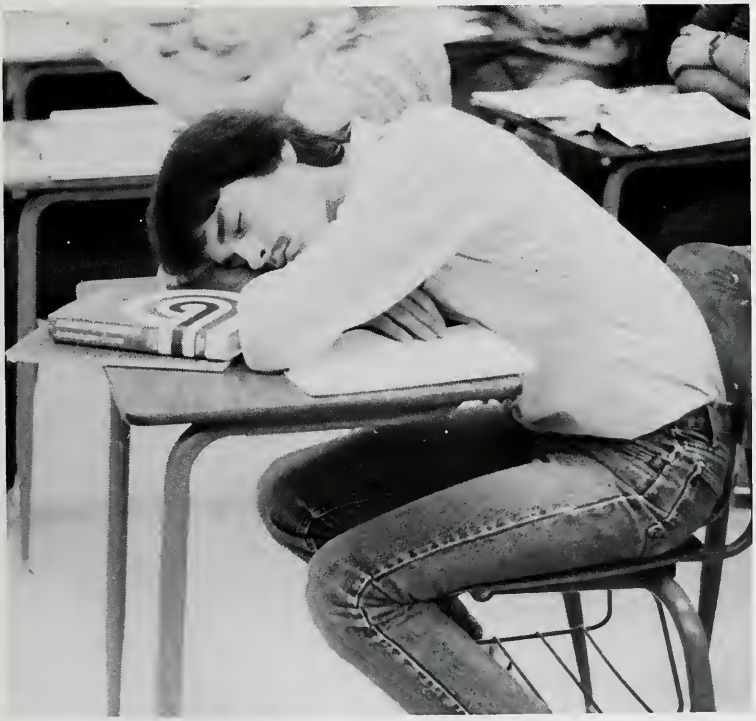


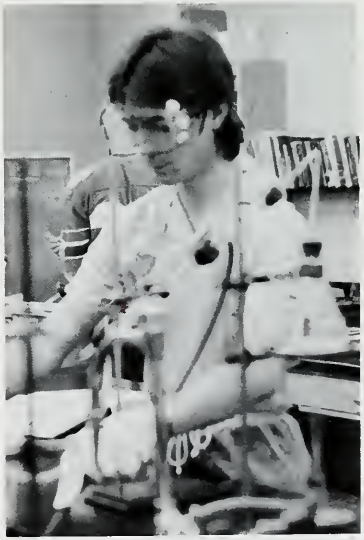
In Chemistry class, Junior Greg Cordova prepares for a lab experiment by lighting a bunson burner.

During Biology class, Sophomore Larry Hoffman ponders over a question on his exam.

In Science class, Freshman Christy Castleman works diligently to complete an exam.

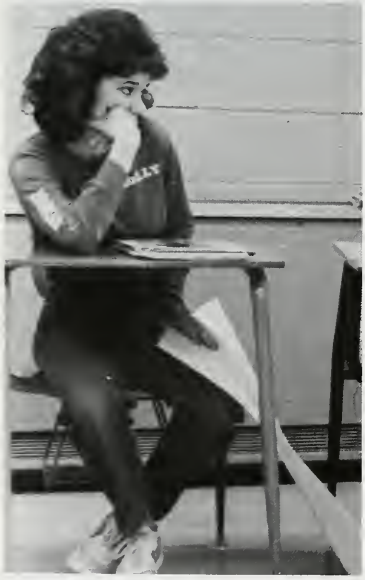






During Senior Math class, Senior Craig Knuckles pays close attention to Mr. Romary.

Working in Chemistry class, Senior David Fry prepares to create a still to be used for distilled water.



Mr. Price's Junior U.S. History class pays close attention to a visiting speaker.

During Individualized Sociology, Senior Holly Stults listens as another student explains her project.

Fort Wayne's Mayor Win Moses addressed the U.S. History students on city government.

Election Highlights Year

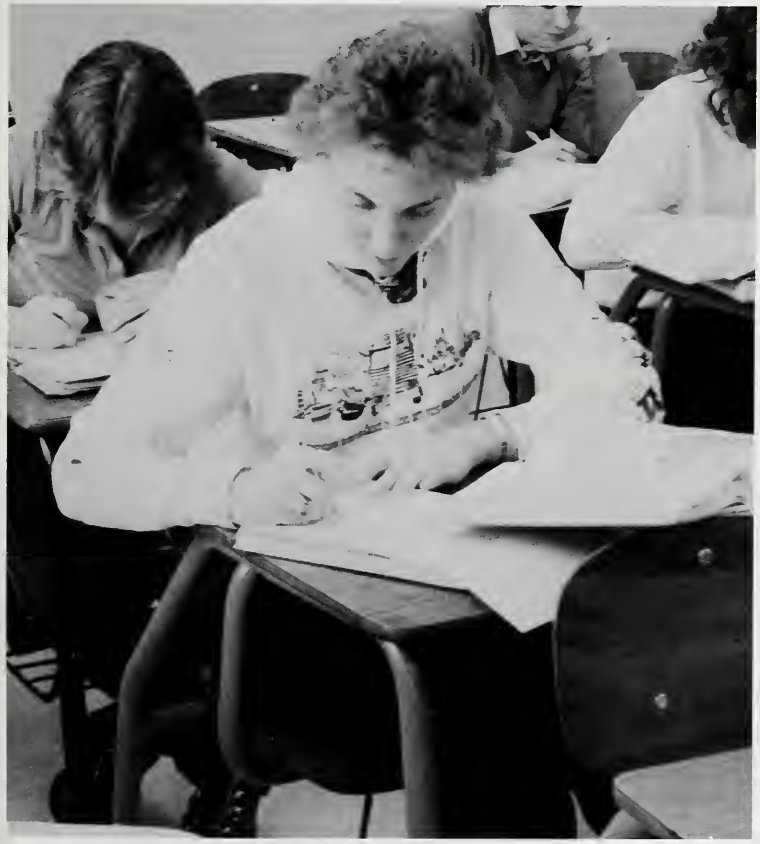
Because it was election year, several of the history and government classes focused their attention on the election. Several senators, representatives, and politicians, including Mayor Win Moses, were invited to speak to students. Much attention was given to the newspapers concerning different views toward the election. U.S. Government students were featured in a section of the News-Sentinel on their attitudes toward the election and the numerous candidates. Some students approved of Reagan's victory over Mondale while others disapproved.

Another highlight of the year was the Possum Trip to the East. Approximatley 20 students from the surrounding area accompanied Mr. Hany on the trip. First, they visited Old Ironside, the oldest ship in the Navy.

They also walked the Freedom Trail and visited historic landmarks. Philadelphia was the next stop where they visited the Liberty Bell and other landmarks. In Washington, D.C., they toured through all the Smithsonian Museums, the Captiol, and specific memorials. Final stops were Mount Vernon, Arlington Cemetery, and Gettysburg. Mr. Hany said it was a very educational and interesting trip that everyone should have the chance to take.

During U.S. Government class, Senior Susan Scharpenberg works diligently to complete an assignment.

Senator Richard Worman takes time from his schedule to speak to history students.



Proud of his musical ability, Junior Rick Johnson confidently participates in class.

Watching Mr. Mergenthal, Sophomore Mike Hartman sings to the best of his ability.

Concentrating on their music piece, the low woodwind section works together for a successful completion.

Carefully reading his music, Junior Paul Oberley plays along with the rest of the Band class.

Practicing, Junior Carey Stephenson and Sophomore Sara Harkenrider concentrate on Mr. Mergenthal's directions.

Listening to his performing students, Mr. Tussing guides them through a difficult measure.

As Mr. Mergenthal explains a new song, Sophomore Nancy Hart and Junior Carey Stephenson listen closely.

Progressing Musical Abilities

This year the Band and Choir classes had numerous activities on their agenda. For instance, the Concert choir performed at various places such as the Lincoln National Bank, churches, the spring concert, and choir tours. As the choir spent a lot of time and effort practicing and perfecting their performances, they had a great deal of fun.

Many students commented on the progress they made throughout the year. The choir class perfected their singing abilities with continuous rehearsing.

The Band classes also devoted much of their time to practicing their music. Some of the major pieces they learned were: "The Right Stuff" by the Marching Band, "Goofus" by the Pep Band, and "On The Mall" by the Concert Band.

Everyone was satisfied with the progress that was made.

Layout Learned

Many students were enrolled in the Journalism class this past year. Most of the students have been in journalism before and helped the new students learn how to design captions, layouts, and stories.

Mr. James Rinehart was the new yearbook advisor this past year at Heritage. Mr. Rinehart has taught the class many new things and has been a lot of fun.

The annual M&M sales took place again this past year. The money raised from the candy was used for buying new equipment for the class and also helped pay for the yearbook. The sale went well and was a big success.

While everyone was busy the photographers were hard at work taking and developing pictures. The photographers were at ball games, contests, and meets taking pictures for the yearbook and newspaper.

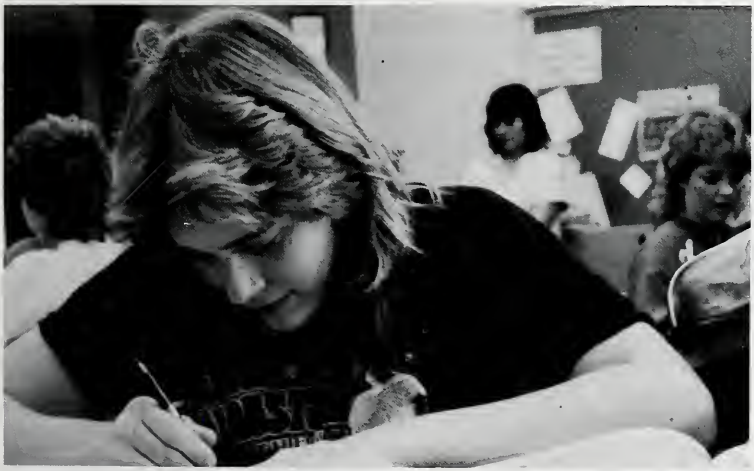
Trying to finish a layout for the yearbook, Sophomore Christina Kaplanis types her captions.

As she works hard to meet a deadline, Junior Diane Reynolds whites out a mistake.

After asking Mr. Rinehart a question, Senior Anna Burrage listens to the answer.

Sophomore Tammy Vinson listens carefully to Mr. Rinehart, as he explains a layout.

Senior Kelly Galligher sorts pamplets and envelopes to help straighten the room.

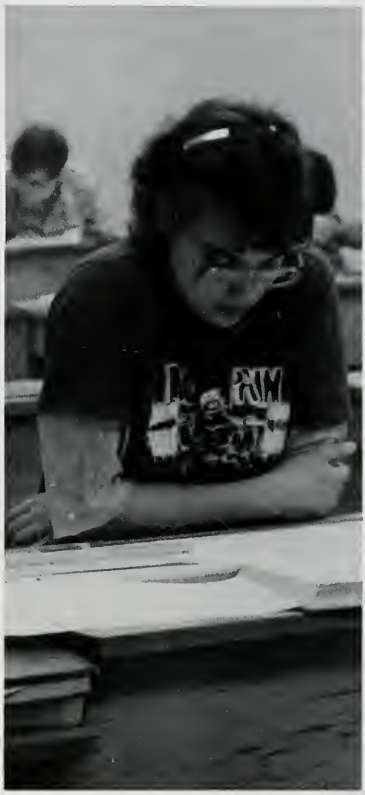


During Journalism class, Junior Gail Beachot works hard on a layout to meet an important deadline.

Before Journalism class ends, Senior Lori Gepfert works hard to meet a deadline.

While in woodworking class, Sophomore Kurt VanHorn puts the finishing touches on a project.

In drafting class, Junior Kathy Rorick studies over a drawing to make it perfect.

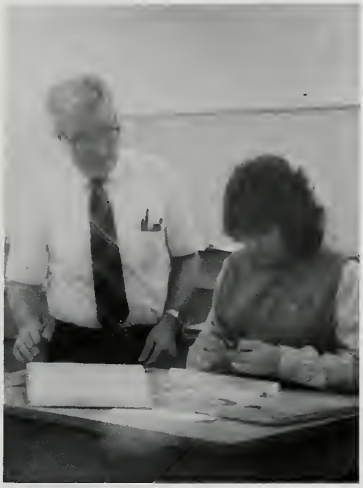


During his health period, Freshmen Ron Purk works hard on an assignment before class ends.

Finishing her assignment, Sophomore Jeanne Gerig works studiously during health class.

During her drafting class, Freshmen Kristi Farnsworth receives instructions from Mr. Campbell, Sr.

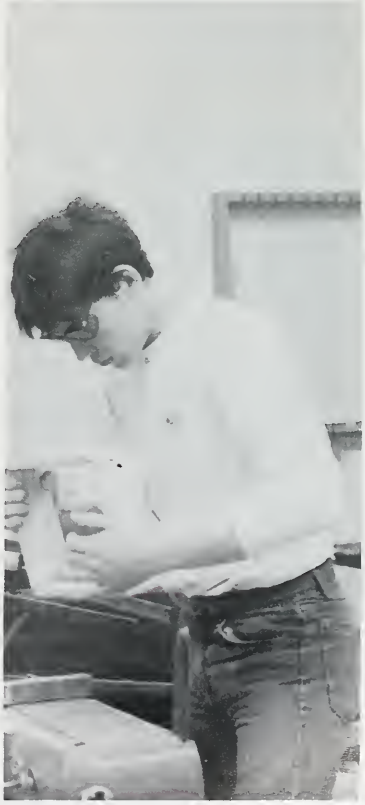
Classes Learn CPR



The Health Department was busy this year with many new learning experiences. The year began with each student reporting on the different health problems in the world. It then continued with the students becoming certified to perform CPR (cardiopulmonary resusitation) on a victim in need. Assistant principal, Gary Lake, took time out of his busy schedule to help the health classes in learning the technique of CPR. The year ended with the students participating in a health news cast. The news had to come from articles that the students brought in for extra credit points. Many chapters were read and tests were taken, so the students felt that they had learned a great deal.

As the new Industrial Arts teacher at Heritge, Mr. Ruby commented, "So far I have found that teaching at Heritage is really not so different than teaching at New Haven. The kids have practically the same interests, attitude, concerns, etc., even though Heritage is a bit smaller." He concluded with, "I feel that woodworking here at Heritage should be a lesson in cabinet making and fine furniture building."

Trying to finish an assignment for health class, Freshmen Karen Ottenweller works quietly.



To make his project perfect, Freshmen Chris Pierce looks for any imperfections.

Participating in Gym class, Sophomore Jeanne Gerig serves the volleyball.

Fitness Improves

This year the Bodybuilding and Physical Education classes have been exceptionally active. Much time and effort was put into the students' athletic abilities to improve their physical fitness.

Junior Monte Chrisman quotes "I really enjoy Bodybuilding class. I think more people should take the class seriously and work their hardest to get into better shape." While Junior Randy Miller adds "Taking Bodybuilding class is a great way to get into better shape to improve ones physical abilities for sports such as football and wrestling."

Mr. Wehrmeister enjoys teaching the class, but would like to see more girls joining for he feels that girls could benefit from the class as much as the guys.

The Physical Education classes participated in numerous physical activities this year. Some of these activities consisted of: baseball, volleyball, gymnastics, floor hockey, aerobics, and basketball. All in all, students have done exceptionally well this year in getting involved in physical fitness.

Helping a lift-a-thon participant, Senior Ron Woods acts as "spotter".

Concentrating on increasing his weight limit, Junior Carlo Renninger practices enthusiastically.

Preparing to enter the lift-a-thon, Freshman Mike Gepfert puts his strength to work.

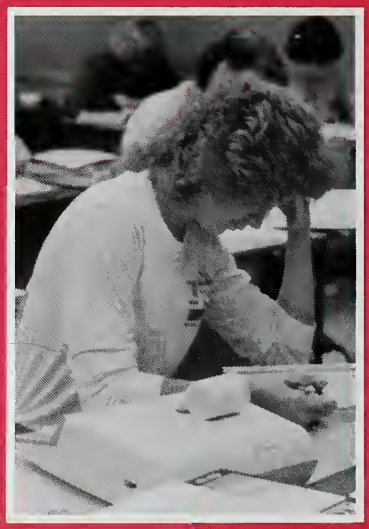
Keeping her eye on the ball, Freshman Jayme Strack waits for the ball.

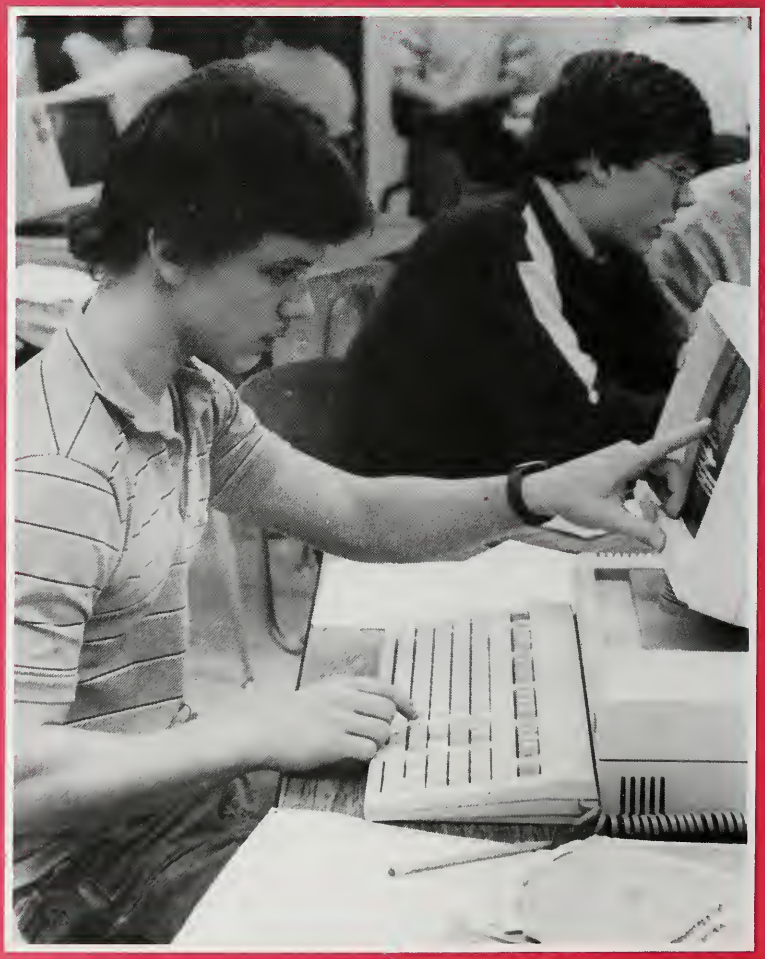
Enjoying a fun game of volleyball, Sophomore Jan Grotrian uses her energy to win the game.

Computer Gained

A significant change in the Computers area took place this year as we received a new computer system. Along with the Apple IIe, we now have the Wang VS 45. Mr. Bertels commented that it is much harder to learn on because there are more things on it. Once you become familiar with it, though, it is much easier. "It's a nice system and liked very well," summarized Mr. Bertels.

Other areas of Business such as: accounting, recordkeeping, and typing, stayed basically traditional. Mrs. Flowers' Secretarial Lab class worked on the Wang computer this year. She commented that it's a wonderful computer to work on.





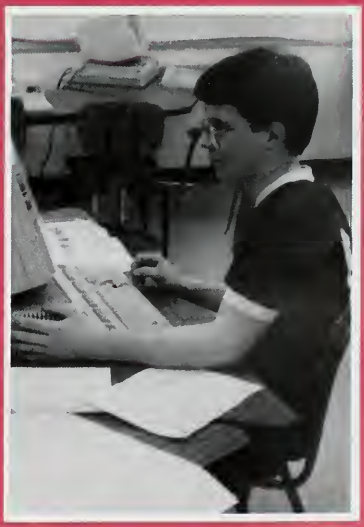
After Mr. Radamacher finishes dicussing Accounting, Junior Melissa Winn relaxes.

Looking over his data, Junior Todd Aurand tries to complete his program.

During Accounting 1 & 2, Junior Carey Stephenson finishes her assignment.

Carefully looking over her assignment, Senior Lori Mallet prepares to begin her paper.

During typing 3 & 4, Junior Cindy Hosier works quietly to complete her assignment.



While in computers, Freshman Mark Stahl works to complete his program.

Using the adding machine, Junior Linda Coomer carefully finishes her assignment.

Changes Sought

As the new foods teacher at Heritage, Mrs. Hadley said that she has had a good year. Some of her beginning classes learned how to cook the best and safest ways. Some of their accomplishments were: learning how to make muffins, candy, cakes, and many other different varieties of foods.

In Mrs. Hunter's clothing classes, this year's activities consisted of making night gowns, slippers, and stuffed animals. Mrs. Hunter commented, "Although I enjoy my classes and all of my students, I would always like to see more guys taking various home economics classes, especially clothing, foods, and family life."

Mrs. Hunter planned a field trip for her child care class to The McMillen Health Center. She felt it was a very nice place to go for an educational visit.

In Vocational Agriculture, the majority of Mr. Fraser's classes are male, but it was also a fun and exciting class.

Both Mr. Fraser and Mrs. Hunter would like to see a more equitable balance of male-female student enrollment in their classes.

During Sewing class, Mrs. Hunter demonstrates how to prepare fabric for sewing.

Junior Elizabeth Schane and Sophomore Angie Clem add finishing touches to their corsage in Greenhouse class.

In Sewing class, Freshman Kim Hoffman patiently works on her nightgown.

Senior Doug Bradtmueller is assisted by Mr. Fraser while preparing Homecoming carnations.

In Greenhouse Management, Senior Sandy Johnson inspects the plants for any defects.

Freshman Tammy Sorg concentrates as she carefully works on her new sewing project.

The new Home Ec. teacher, Mrs. Hadly, carefully prepares her class for a test in Foods.

Each year the freshmen are required to take SAIL class for one semester. The class is designed to teach students how to deal with and what happens in everyday life. The semester begins with each student designing a conglomeration to represent their interests and hobbies. The semester continues with discussions on the self, family, friends, different problems, and finally careers. It then ends with job interviews. The students are required to fill out job applications. They learn and actually go through what happens in a job interview.

The Art Department stayed basically traditional this year. Many paintings, drawings, and crafts were designed. Two students, Sophomore Mark Gerardot and Senior Jan Harris received Honorable Mention in the L.S. Ayre's Art Show.

During SAIL, Freshman Theresa Woenker presents her conglomeration to the class.

Freshman Heather Acosta's conglomeration, shaped like Van Halen's logo, is displayed to the class.

As a student poses, Sophomore Dawn Bradtmueller and Senior Jan Harris finish their drawings.

Freshman Janet Emenhiser gets a turn to present her conglomeration to the SAIL class.

During Drawing class, Juniors Vicki Ellsworth and Donita Muldoon demonstrate their style of modeling.

Miss Ploughe demonstrates her ability to model by posing for the Drawing class.

During musical practice, Buskins members Sophomore Khris Galligher and Seniors Kurt Howard and Darryl Sheffer concentrate on their roles.

Sweeping the steps, Senior Kevin Linker portrays the part of Tony in "West Side Story."

During a speech team meeting, Senior Tana Maggos listens to Mr. Price tell of future plans for the group.

Helping pack cans, Senior Mark Scheumann gets involved in the buskins sponsored food drive.

CLUBS ADD DREAMS

Because of a closed activity period, many clubs had to be dropped. Even though the number of different clubs was lower than in the past, enrollment in the remaining ones increased.

Almost every student at Heritage was involved in a club. These clubs ranged from Art Club to Lettermen's Club and from Latin Club to the Heritage Marching Patriots. This variety made it possible for each student to enjoy their interests.

Each club brought together a group of people who shared the same interest in a certain subject. They made it possible to make new friends by discussing certain topics. Many times, these friendships would grow into more than club-based involvement.

Certain clubs also made it possible to delve into the future. Students could practice many of the things that they wished to seek as future occupations such as acting, computers, or journalism.

The main purpose of clubs, however, was to take experiences and make them into the dreams of the past, present and future.

STAFF SHOWS GREAT ABILITY

The Heritage Publications staff consists of 23 people, both on newspaper and yearbook.

This year Heritage brought in a new advisor for the eighty-four/eighty-five school year, Mr. James Rinehart.

Due to the change in schedules this year, the newspaper class was eliminated. The production of our monthly newspaper is strictly an extra-curricular activity. The newspaper's name was changed from **Downpat** to **Pat Chat,** LoriAnn Franz won the contest with her suggestion "Pat Chat."

The yearbook staff attended Ball State's annual journalism day on April 19. While at Ball State each student was requested to attend 3 classes.

"Watching a layout become a published piece of work gives one a sense of accomplishment." Stated Junior Gail Beauchot, Editor.

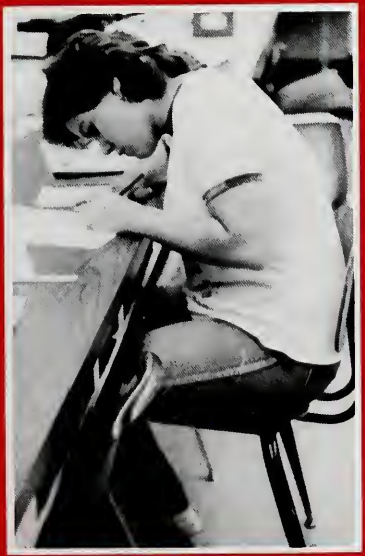
Mr. James Rinehart stated that "The students of the Publications department have shown a great ability to handle the pressures of meeting deadlines."

Lantern staff: Kelly Galligher, Maria Horstmeyer, Debi Plummer, Becky May, Christina Kaplanis, Vicky Ellsworth, Elizabeth Schane, Lori Gephert, Anna Burrage, Vicki Bradfield, Tina Furhman, Tina Bradtmuller, Robin Roop, Kim Breck, Jeanine Meyer, Sandi Bazzinett, Tammy Vinson, Gail Beauchot, Diane Reynolds, Rick Stults.

Hanging negatives to dry. Senior Kim Lerhman makes pictures in the darkroom.

While working on the yearbook, Juniors Debi Plummer and Gail Beauchet prepare copy as Mr. Rinehart advises them.

Making pictures for the yearbook, Drew Tieman works in the darkroom.



Writing a story, Senior Jan Harris works on the newspaper "Pat Chat."

Photographers: Seated: Maria Harstmeyer, Matt Tieman, Tina Schlemmer, Kelly Gallipher. Standing: Debi Plummer, Drew Tieman.

During a study period in choir, Junior Ro Ottenweller finishes her work.

Swing choir members, Seniors Linda Tussing, Jim Fritzinger, and Peggy Hockemeyer add their vocal talents to a performance.

Concert Choir: Front row: Dan Beauchot, Brenda Behrman, Shelley Bergdall, Mark Biesiada, Misty Bitner, Dawn Bradtmueller, Roger Brown, Hope Clevenger, Kris Coyne, Michelle Darras, Kathy Ementhiser. Second row: Jim Fritzinger, Tina Fuhrmann, Colleen Galligher, Kelly Galligher, Khris Galligher, Jeanne Gerig, Delladee Girardot, Steve Grodrian, Stacy Guenther, Jennifer Hapke, Jon Hapke. Third row: Greg Harkenrider, Sara Harkenrider, Jan Harris, Nancy Hart, Tammy Hart, Mike Hartman, Peggy Hockemeyer, Troy Hockemeyer, Cindy Hosier, Kurt Howard, Cheryl Howe. Fourth row: Joel Huebner, Cindy Johnson, Kallie Judt, Kathy Kalthoff, Beth Lemmon, Colette Linker, Keven Linker, Jackie Long, Henrik Lowe, Jean Maldeney, Doug May. Fifth row: Mr. Mergenthal, Pat Metsker, Kim Meyer, Laura O'Shaughnessey, Steve O'Shaughnessey, Ro Ottenweller, Kurt Overmeyer, Sheri Peters, Steve Pflueger, Trina Pope, Chris Rennels, Tom Rennels. Sixth row: Steve Saalfrank, Angie Scott, Maria Sgourakis, Brian Sheehan, Darryl Sheffer, Karen Sorg, Trent Sprague, Carey Stephenson, Kim Stephey, Holly Stults, Linda Tussing, Jana Webb, and Michelle Wilson.

New Arragement: Peggy Hockemeyer, Linda Tussing, Jan Harris, Jeanne Gerig, and Kim Stephey. Not present: Kim Meyer and Maria Sgourakis.

VOCAL TALENTS

The four choir groups at Heritage did real well this year. Swing Choir participated in the Harding spectacular and a workshop at Epworth Camp. Swing Choir consisted of 26 students.

Along with the Swing Choir, Concert choir and New Arrangement sang at Lincoln National Bank, and participated in Epworth's Hanging of the Greens performance around Christmas time. These choirs also showed-off their vocal talents at their Christmas program. The concert Choir competed in contests during the Spring. 65 students were invovled in the Concert choir and 7 girls were in New Arrangement.

Swing Choir: Front row: Holly Stults, Steve Pflueger, Jeanne Gerig, Darryl Sheffer, Brenda Behrman, Steve O'Shaughnessey, Joel Huebner, Trina Pope, Greg Harkenrider, and Peggy Hockemeyer, Back row: Kurt Overmeyer, Jan Harris, Kurt Howard, Kathy Kalthoff, Trent Sprague, Laura O'Shaughnessey, Kevin Linker, Doug May, Jana Webb, Linda Tussing, Jim Fritzinger, Mike Hartman, and Kim Stephey. Not shown: Kim Meyer, and Maria Sgourakis.

Varsity Choir: Front row: Jeanne Beckman, Amy Biddle, Kelly Buckmaster, Tammy Bienz, Cathy Cardwell. Second row: Brent Case, Terry Clover, Chad Critchley, Julie Grace, Monica Grotrian. Third row: Troy Marquardt, Lyle McIntosh, Rob Myer, Karen Ottenweller, Evangeline Naselaris. Fourth row: Mr. Mergenthal, Sara Ottenweller, Barbie Ulman, Angie Waggoner, Shanna Whiteside, and Mike Wilson. Not Present: Lisa Dunn and Jana Springer.

During a Swing Choir performance, Sophomore Trina Pope follows the director's instructions.

Front row: Melyssa Bultemeier, Kim Melcher, Jana Kiess, Heather Hoffman, Tammy Shelburne, Vicki Beerman, Shari Holle. Back row: Julie Grotrian, Janice Grodrian, Karen Sorg, Alesse Dickmander, Dawn Dettmer, Amy Hetler, Myra Mailand. Absent: Joy Scheumann, Carey Stephenson.

Front row: Diane App, Susie Williams, Gina Doctor, Robyn Miller, Karen Sutter, Peggy Hockemeyer, Tammy Minich. Back row: Gail Beauchot, Kelly Schlegel, Loriann Franz, Sue Conn, Kris Coyne, Cindy Hosier, Kim Meyer, Jackie Long. Absent: Janet Koester.

Band Awarded First Division

The Heritage Marching Patriots had a very competitive season this year. The band's first appearance was at a Fall Festival held at Wayne on September 15th. At the festival, they received a participation plaque for their performance. Soon after, District was held at Northrop on September 29th. The Patriots were awarded a first division rating for their fine performance. Two weeks later, the band marched to Regional competition at Marion. The scoring became harder and, even though their marching improved, they were awarded an honorable second division rating.

During the summer the patriettes were busy attending a camp at Ball State University. At the camp, the pom-pons were considered "Superior Grand Champs" along with the flags, who were also awarded a first on their home routine. Along with the patriettes, the band was also very busy during the summer. They had practices every Tuesday and Thursday to improve their marching routine. It takes a lot of hard work to perfect a routine, but the performances are always top quality.

At District, Sophomore Tammy Shelburne concentrates hard to perfect the routine to the song Rainmaker.

Front Row: Kim Lahrman, Dave Fry, Tina Schlemmer. Second Row: Donia Ake, Lois Bradtmueller, Stephanie Wagers, Janelle Schultz, Rodney Kraner, Stacy Emenhiser, Amy Dager, Tricia Fuhrmann, Christy Castleman, Becky Scheiman, Trina Pope, Jeanne Gerig, Jo Lyn Solt, Susie Baatz, Heidi Richman. Third Row: Steve Saalfrank, Jana Webb, Heidi Spangler, Laura O'Shaughnessy, Sheri Peters, Randy Stinson, Mike Mitchell, Tyrone Hockemeyer, Angie Scott, Robin Roop, Gwen Simerman, Susie Oberley, Kelly Kirk, Janeece Ternet, Theresa Gerardot. Fourth Row: Becky Scheumann, Steve Pflueger, Lisa Thieme, Laurie Johnson, Mike Stinson, Kevin Stephey, Vance Renninger, Michelle Darras, Sara Harkenrider, Carlyle Moore, Joel Huebner, Jennifer Hapke, Rhonda Highland, Mike Coonrod. Fifth Row: Steve O'Shaughnessey, Jill Grotrian, Lori Arnett, Chris Baldwin, Doug Hedges, Nancy Hart, Monty Guenin, Shenan Hoffacker, David Lee, Julie Melcher, Michelle Schultz, Karen Sorg, Wendy Blowers, Tina Bradtmueller. Sixth Row: Steve Grodrian, Ron Schultz, Troy Hockemeyer, Brett Bade, Jeff Whitacre, Kurt Rademacher, Joel Hoffman, Les Pierce, Dan Nuerge, Delladee Girardot, Matt Thompson, Doug Highland, Tammy Brenneke, Jana Springer, Seventh Row: Terry Scott, Rick Johnson, Paul Oberley, David Kolter, Dan Beauchot, Bryan Moore, Greg Harkenrider, Mike Hartman, Kristi Farnsworth, Linda Tussing, Lori Stasell, Stacy Guenther, Jani Scheiman, Pam Allison, LuAnn Solt, Jeannette LaVine. Absent: Pete Thompson, Chris Penrod, David Ray, Karri Coonrod, Rhonda Webb, Lyle McIntosh, Kurt Overmeyer, Chris Dorsh, Mike McCullum, Brian Hartman, Mark Benzinger, Craig Lahrman, Kurt Howard, Leanette Zelt, Debbie Bazzinett, Mark Ratliff.

Practicing at Reginals, Sophomore flute and clarinet players get their instruments in tune for competition.

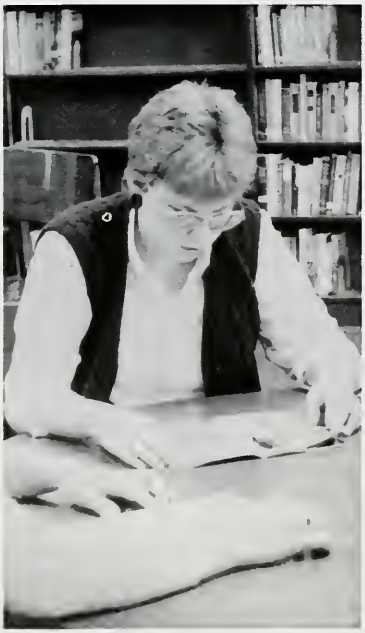
Front row: Sara Ratliff, Jeanine Meyer. Back row: Sharon Mitchell, Melissa Winn, Michelle Wilson, Daun Lommatzsch.

STUDENT COUNCIL FOOD DRIVE BENEFIT NEEDY

The student council members kept the year busy with a long list of activities. They first held a Freshman mixer, so all the Freshmen could become acquainted with their new classmates. The student council also organized all the dances held during the past year, from Homecoming to Sadie Hawkins. During Homecoming, corsages were sold to raise money for other activities. As Christmas came around, the student council sponsored a food drive to benefit the needy families in the area. A total of 1,860 items were contributed from the students and staff. Another activity during Christmas was the selling of candy grams. For fifty cents, anyone could send a candy cane to someone else with a note attached to it. Because of the efforts of the student council, the year was a lot more enjoyable.

A new Speech and Debate team was formed at the beginning of this past year. Because of their small size, they entered this year with the hope of building for future years. The team did very well considering their size and lack of experience.

President of the Student Council, Senior Mike Roy, listens as their next project is explained.



Speech team member, Senior Beth Lemmon, searches through a pamphlet for a topic for her next speech.

Student Council member, Junior Vicki Beerman, states her opinion as Junior Jane Girardot looks on.

At a Speech team meeting, Advisor Gene Price listens carefully to a Speech member's suggestion.

Student Council. Row 1: Jim Girardot, Gary Fry, Barbie Ulman, Kelly Buckmaster. Row 2: Mr. Menze, Jill Grodrian, Larry Hoffman, Joy Scheumann. Row 3: Mr. Grabner, Curt Wills, Karen Knapke, Cindy Castleman. Row 4: Vicki Beerman, Lane Hockemeyer, Jane Girardot, Amy Meier. Row 5: Chris VanLear, Dawn Dettmer, Shannon Fitzgerald. Row 6: Paul Ottenweller, Mike Roy, Fred Bearman, Mark Scheumann.

During a Student Council meeting, Junior Amy Meier listens intently to questions raised by other members.

Speech Team. Front row: Beth Campbell, Tana Maggos. Middle row: Sharon Mitchell, Beth Lemmon. Back row: Gene Price, Les Pierce.

BUSKINS & HONORS EXCEL

During the year, Buskins put on one play, **To Kill a Mockingbird,** and a musical, **West Side Story.**

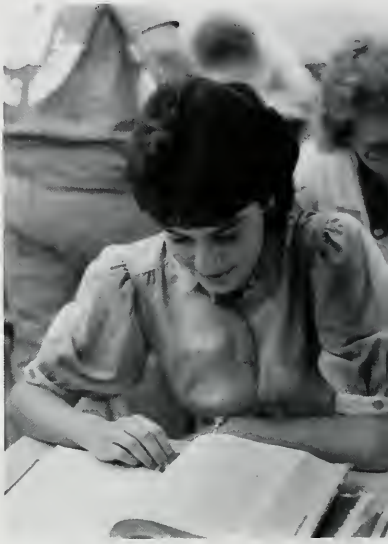
Buskins is basically an honorary club. Mr. Schmidt stated that to be in the club, you must have academic skills in addition to participating in the plays. When deciding on what to invest the money brought in by the plays, it is left up to the Buskin club. The money is usually spent on the stage or other production needs.

At the end of the year the annual banquet is held to honor the Seniors who have contributed outstanding efforts in drama.

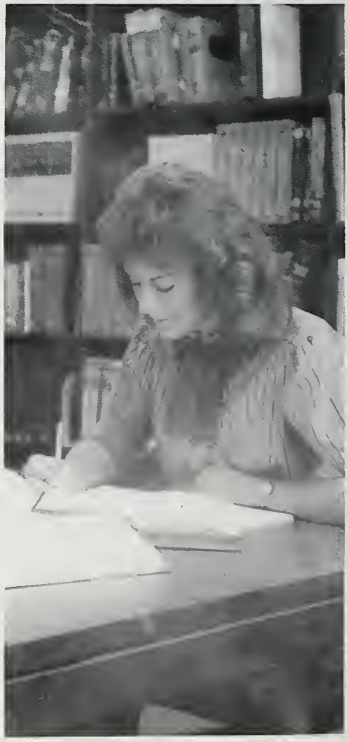
In order to earn the privilege of wearing a gold cord during graduation, one must rank in the top ten percent of his class. Seventeen Seniors were thus honored this year by being inducted into the Heritage Scholastic Society.

"We are always proud to honor the top ten percent of the class with gold cords." Stated guidance counselor, Nancy Kirk.

A member of the Heritage Scholastic Society, Senior Regina Brames studies in class.



Scholastic Society: (First Row) Regina Brames, Mark Scheuman, Greg Harkenrider, Mark Ratliff, Daryl Sheffer, Dave Fry, Jim Fritzinger, Coleen Coonrod, (Second Row) Karla Doctor, Anna Janssan, Diane App, Dawn Dettmer, Tayna Lomatch, Laura O'Shaughnessey, Karla Fry, Gina Doctor, Julie Grotrian, Susanne Williams.



In the library, Scholastic member Senior Laura O'Shaughnessey studies for a test.

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Seniors Linda Tussing and Peggy Hockemeyer laugh as Mr. Schmidt holds a Buskins meeting.

During a Buskins meeting, Juniors Tammy Bienz, Sarah Harkenrider, and Gwen Simerman listen carefully.

F.F.A. Front row: Mike Castleman, Jeff Oehler, Larry Castleman, Jerry Castleman, Terry Scott, Dave Hoffman, Rick Johnson. Second row: Steve Comment, Jamie Renninger, Neil Oberley, David Kiess, Kurt Van Horn, Steve Sarrazine, Janice Grodrian. Third row: Terry Clover, Bryan Grieze, Don Niemeyer, Rex Snider, Pat Smith, Rich Brinkman. Fourth row: Darin Scheumann, Chris Link, Rick Short, Jeff Radabaugh, Trent Kleine, Paul Oberley, Kurt Howard. Fifth row: Eric Bowen, Chip Gerardot.

For the Homecoming carnation sale, Sophomore Chris Link arranges a flower with baby's breath.

Working diligently during F.F.A., Sophomore Steve Sarrazine completes his homework assignment.

Studiously trying to complete his work, Junior Bill Rykard ponders over a question.

While laughing, Sophomore Janice Grodrian tries to avoid doing her assignment for F.F.A.

F.F.A. DOES WELL IN COUNTY JUDGING

The F.F.A. is a club of students that participates in the study of livestock and farming, with the hope that someday they will be able to farm on their own.

At District competition, Heritage Teams placed very well. The team of Rich Brinkman, Steve Comment, Dave Hoffman, and Terry Scott received a first place in dairy judging for the county. Terry Scott was the highest individual, while Dave Hoffman was second.

A first was also awarded in poultry judging to the team of Rick Johnson, Chris Link, Neil Oberley, Steve Sarrazine, and Rex Snider. Chris Link was awarded the honor of second highest individual in poultry judging.

Many honors and awards were presented to the F.F.A., along with many things that were accomplished.

F.F.A. member, Junior Don Niemeyer, prepares a flower arrangement for Homecoming.

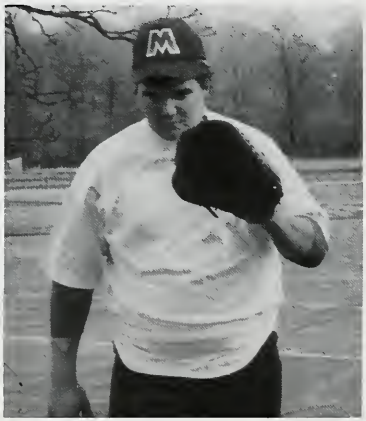
Smiling because he is pleased, Sophomore Jeff Radabaugh admires his floral creativity.

Lettermen and Latin Clubs Have Busy Year.

The Lettermen's Club is a special honor, service, and fraternal organization for those who have earned a varsity letter. It is also a tribute to the school. The club consists of twenty students this year because it is very limited. This year the Lettermen's Club sponsored the Feeder Tournament for the junior high, and the Lift-A-Thon. They did this in order to raise money for the club. "The club has not yet been burden with a great number of projects, yet it still has managed to be a tight knit group." Stated Junior Randy (Spook) Miller, Lettermen.

The Latin Club is an organization for students who must have studied or are presently studying Latin. The club consists of twenty-four members. They meet on the second Tuesday of every month and study the cultures of ancient Rome. "The money made by candy sales is usually used for a banquet of a dinner for the members," stated Mr. Rose, Latin Club advisor.

Playing catch in baseball, Junior Chris VanLear waits for the returning throw.

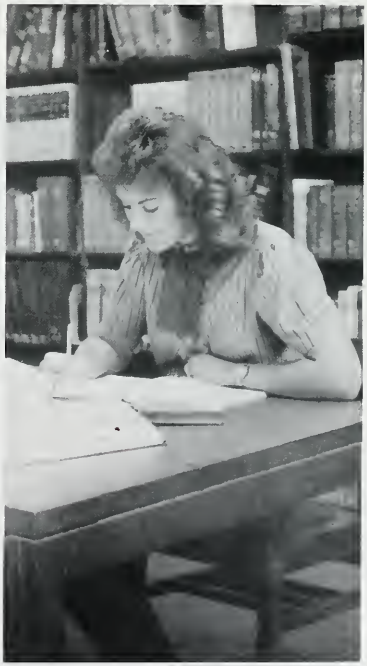


A member of the Lettermen Club, Junior Randy Miller talks with classmates in the hallway.

Lettermen. First row: Terry Griffiths, David Runkel, Roger Brown, Shelby Meyer, Craig Lahrman. Second row: Dave Kiess, Brian Sheehan, Darryl Sheffer, Keven Linker, Don Roop, Chris VanLear, Tony Knapke, Chris Evans. Third row: Mr. Bob Yager, Jeff Crates, Steve Waggoner, Mark Benzinger, Jeff Dickmander, Jaime Renninger, Lane Hockemeyer, Roger Horman, Randy Miller, Jerry Bultemeier, Scott Ripley, Pat Metsker.

Latin Club. First row: Carol Ort, Jani Scheiman, Lori Stasell, Sheryl Neuok, LuAnn Solt, Michelle Hoffman. Second row: Lisa Gerardot, Michelle Linder, Beth Campbell, Dawn Lommatzch, Missy Koch, Regina Brames, Pam Proegler. Third Row: Doug May, Melissa Bultemeier, Amy Hetler, Bryan Moore, Tonya Lommatzch, Dave Fry, Laura O'Shaughnessey, Julie Grotrian.

Practicing her Latin, Senior Pam Proegler discusses an assignment with senior David Fry.



A member of the Latin Club, senior Laura O'Shaughnessey studies in the library.

While sitting at a Latin Club meeting, Lori Stasell, Sheryl Neuok, and Carol Ort express their views.

Even though they all attended different junior high schools, a group of friends enjoy the prom.

Making new friends is an important part of both junior high and high school as shown by Juniors Aleese Dickmander and Kevin Stephey.

Speaking at graduation, Senior Tana Maggos shows her intellectual growth since junior high.

Performing on the balance beam, Junior Debi Plummer shows a talent that was developed in Jr. High

J.H. Adds Dreams

As a member of Heritage Junior High School, each seventh or eighth grader had to strive for a certain goal. These goals would help the students prepare for the future.

As a seventh grader, the student first had to get to know the school and its faculty. Next, he had to become acquainted with his new classmates, He then had to decide which activities he would participate in during the year.

Eighth graders accepted the roles as upperclassmen in the junior high. They had to adjust to new schedules and teachers. As the year progressed they acted as models to the seventh grade. These students then began to anticipate their next year when they would become a part of the new freshman class.

As the junior high years passed, the students made many memories. They also thought of dreams that they would accomplish in their lives.

Watching a meet, Coach Hany and Coach Replogle become a part of the students' life.

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Mrs. Lahrman
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Teachers Help Students to Feel Accepted

To be a teacher of junior high students, one had to do more than just teach these students. The teachers had to orient the students to their new surroundings.

Staff

Many teachers served as junior high sponsors throughout the year. These teachers attended events such as dances and athletic events. They also coached and advised the students in athletics and club activities.

As they taught class, the teachers helped students make important decisions. These ranged from scheduling to dating.

The teachers helped junior high students feel at ease in the surroundings. They also helped them to become a part of Heritage.

Anticipating the end of the day, Mrs. Wyss walks from the gym after a class.

Jotting down notes, Coach Sarrazine assigns numbers to his cross country team.

Demonstrating a method, Coach Yager illustrates to a student how to throw the discus.

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Mr. Price
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Mr. Rose

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Mr. Sarrazine
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Mr. Tussing

Because he is a Jr. High photographer, Seventh Grader Todd Darras is photographed by a friend.

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Michelle Beem

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Rita Bowers
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Colin Carnes
Diana Carroll
Brenda Collett

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Jason Crates
Todd Darras

New Students Begin as 'Scared' Seventh

7th Grade

This year Heritage has once again brought in a new group of seventh graders. These new junior high students, who were a little scared about starting into a new and bigger school with a larger attendance, had many expectations. But once these newcomers got adjusted to the new surroundings, they became just as much a part of Heritage as any other student.

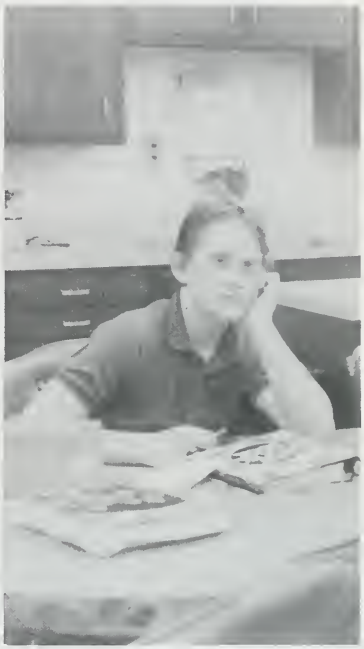
By the middle of the school year, the seventh grader had met new friends and became adjusted to their schedules. They all attended classes with ease and got to know the teachers.

With the end of the school year approaching, the seventh graders were anxious about advancing. The faculty and students prepared to start all over again with a new group of excited seventh graders waiting to fulfill their high school dreams. But as they were accomplishing these dreams, the students would always be able to look back at their first year.

Mixing up art cement, a junior high student prepares to make a mask.

While at gymnastics practice, junior high gymnasts speak to Coach Faulstick about the New Haven meet.

Thinking of something to cook in Home Ec class, Kevin Sanders prepares to look up a recipe.



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Junior High Athletes Prepare for Future

Feature

After adjusting to their new surrounding, many junior high students elected to join an athletic team.

The eighth grade football team opened season with two victories over S. Wells and Leo. They then finished the season with four losses over Woodlan, St. Joe, Norwell, and A. Central.

The volleyball team did very well despite a losing record. They finished with a 4-5 season, and a 3rd in the ACAC tourney.

With a record of 1-3, the gymnastics team prepared themselves for the high school team. The team consisted of 31 hard-working girls.

All athletes showed great improvement and dedication giving high hopes to future varsity teams.

Other teams that junior high students participated in were the boys and girls track teams, and the boys and girls basketball teams. These teams also showed great improvement throughout the year.

"Being on the gymnastics team helped me get to know other students and gave me something to work hard at," stated Jami Reinhart.

Making a facial impression, eighth grader Steve Johnson spreads plaster on a friend in Art class.

Practicing a floor routine, Heather Sturm begins to do a dive roll during warm-ups.

At gymnastics practice, Brenda Colett spots Carrie Long on a back hipcircle on the bars.

Showing grace, Laurie Spoonamore executes a scale as part of her beam routine.

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Eighth Grade Travels to 'Windy City'

The eighth grade had a very rewarding year. During the year there were many events happening. The boys track team placed 4 out of 7 teams in ACAC. "Track was a very rewarding and fulfilling experience," commented eighth grader Robyn Simmerman.

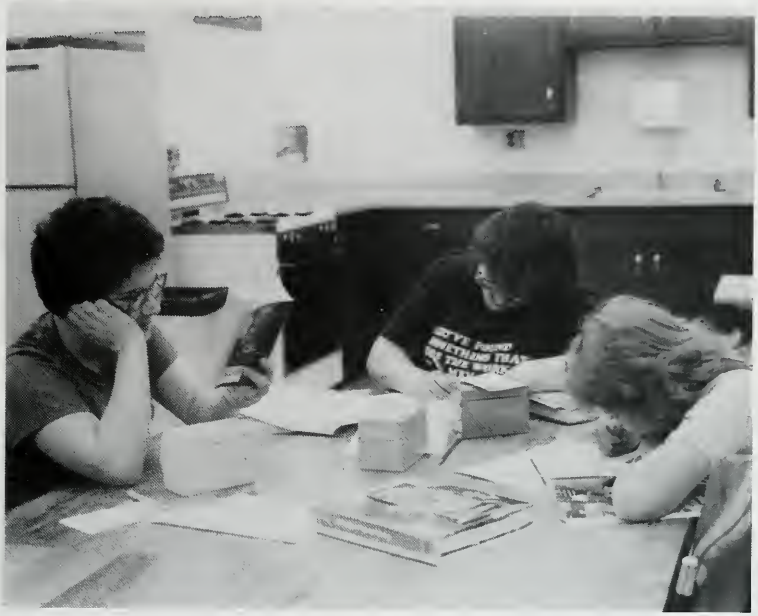
Through the year many concerts were performed. The Choir had two concerts, one at New Haven and the other at Heritage. Craig Sheppard commented, "Choir is something that I wanted to be in." The band also had two concerts. They went to Monroeville and Hoagland Elementary to perform. This was done to introduce the children to instruments. Tracy Loment stated, "I have achieved a lot while in band."

The class went to Chicago on a field trip. While in "The Windy City" they visited the Historical Museum. Sherry Simmerman exclaimed, "The trip was exciting and I think everyone enjoyed it."

Straddling the beam, seventh grader Jami Reinhart executes her balance beam routine.

Advancing to the vault, Melissa Halloway concentrates on her pre-flight during practice.

In the Home Ec room, junior high students prepare their recipe boxes as an assignment.



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Program Committee Sponsors Parties

Feature

During the year, junior high students were able to participate in many after school activities. Many of the activities were sponsored by the Program Committee.

To become a member of the Program Committee one has to be selected by his classmates. This is done by an election at the beginning of each year.

Throughout the year the committee sponsored many dances. These provided an enjoyable evening with a group of friends or a special person.

Another event sponsored was a bowling party. Students traveled by bus to a bowling alley to show their skills.

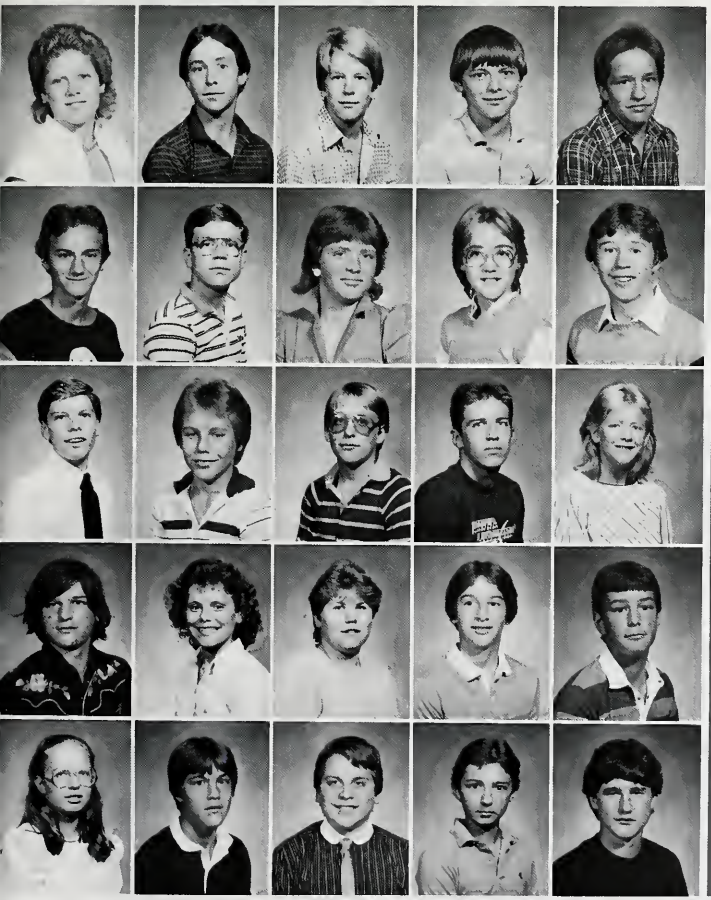
Also sponsored were skating parties at Bell's Rink. Students could skate to their favorite music for a few hours after school.

Those elected to the committee worked hard to give their fellow students time to enjoy. These time would remain in the future as students thought about their years in junior high.

During a practice session, eighth grader Rae Purk advances to the vault hoping to improve her skill.

During Art Class, Bob Meyer watches as a friend lets plaster dry on his face.

Playing a game, Natalie Nicholoff, Jenny Bowman, Shelly Simerman prepare for a test.



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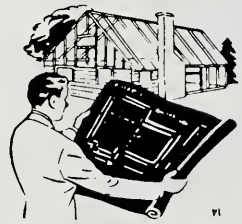

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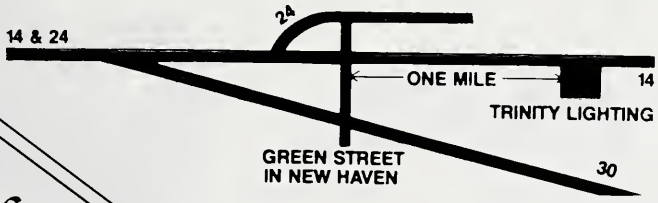

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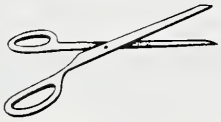

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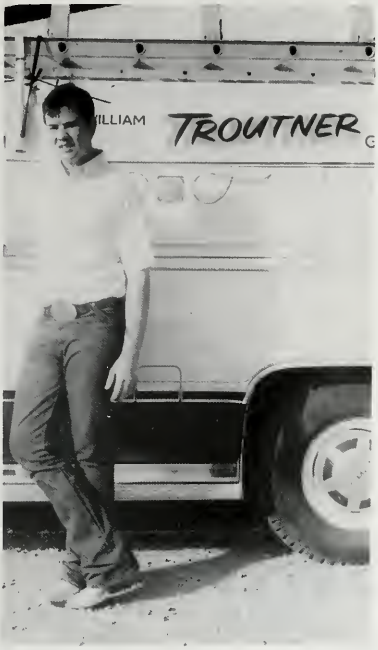

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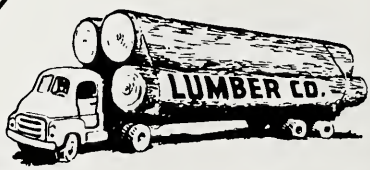

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Because she is salutatorian, Senior Tonya Lommatzsch gives a speech to the graduates and parents.

Community Efforts Show Pride

As the end of the year approached, time was taken to look back on the past year. As this was done, local and community pride was seen. Also viewed were some of the bad times that were turned into good through local efforts.

During the summer, the addition of the National Football League's Indianapolis Colts brought attention to the importance of Indiana as professional ball team territory. Although they did not have a winning season, the Colts had a good season for their first year in the "Hoosier Dome."

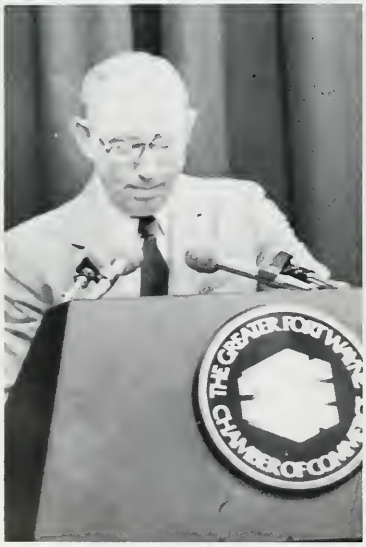
As November approached, so did the presidential election. Students who were 18 prepared to vote in their first national election. Everyone watched as Mr. Ronald Reagan was sworn in for his second term of presidency.

In the month of March, students traveled to Fort Wayne to help others in the effort to save the "All American City." As the rivers flooded, many homes were damaged. Volunteers helped fill sandbags and place the bags on the dikes. In reward for their efforts, sandbaggers were honored with a free concert with the **BelAirs, Mon Taj,** and **Mark Urgent** providing the music.

As the end of the year drew near, area businesses joined together for Operation Prom/Graduation. In exchange for discounts on products, students promised not to drink and drive during prom/graduation season nor to ride with anyone who had been drinking. This helped to form an alcohol-free period during a traditional time of celebration.

During the last week of school, students were horrified to find that the school had been vandalized. This was soon cleaned, however, as students enjoyed Senior Honors Day in the gymnasium.

Over the past year, the local pride shone through as citizens joined together to make special times last. These times will contribute to the history of the past and help create the dreams of the future.



At a press conference, a Dr. Bill Anthis for MADD (Mothers Against Drunk Drivers) explains Operation Prom/Graduation.

At the refreshment table, Senior Doug Bradtmueller, Mr. Rinehart, and Senior Shari Peters fill their cups with punch.

In the art room, Junior Troy Frasure acts as a model for other students to sketch.

During Chemistry class, Senior Jim Fritzinger and Greg Harkenrider prepare a still.

Speaking to a group of new graduates, Dr. Benway congratulates the class of 1985 in the gym.

Turning their tassles, Senior Regina Brames, Dale Berning, Karen Clayton, and Doug Bradtmueller become graduates.

At the graduation ceremony, family members and friends bow their heads for the invocation.

Clowning around in the lobby, Sophomore Della Girardot strikes a pose before a choir concert.

Before graduation, Senior Linda Tussing is congratulated by Mrs. Gilbert.

While at the prom, Juniors Paul Oberley, Dave Kiess, and Mike Castleman try the refreshments.

At a Spanish Christmas party, Mrs. Flowers enjoys talking to other staff members.

Enjoying the prom, Senior Bob Prescott, Juniors Della Girardot and Lora Meyer, Seniors Colleen Coonrod and Craig Knuckles, Junior Brian Crager, Seniors Kelly Galligher and Maria Horstmeyer, and Junior Lindy Nott pose for a photographer before entering the ballroom.

During a cross country meet, Sophomore Monty Guenin sets his pace as he tries to pass an opponent.

End of Year Brings Conclusion of Lantern

As the 17th volume of the **Lantern** came to a close, the staff looked to the past year to share their feelings.

The **1985 Lantern,** "A Rainbow of Dreams," began in June 1984 as senior pictures were taken, a ladder made, and a theme selected.

During the school year, a cover was selected. Layouts were drawn, and members struggled for "just the right words" for that tricky caption.

As members searched through contact sheets and cropped pictures, new friends were made; and old friendships were strengthened.

Watter's Studio photographed Homecoming, Prom, and Graduation capturing special moments that would last forever. They also took mug shots for the "people" section of the yearbook.

During the final months of preparation, the entire staff was sick of proof-reading copy. Also, everyone was tired of hearing the editor ask, "Have you indexed **all** of your captions?"

When the book was finally finished in the middle of June, a sense of accomplishment was experienced; yet the return of the finished product was anticipated.

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